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REUNIFICATION:

FAMILY REFLECTS ON THE IMPACT OF HANCOCK COUNTY'S FAMILY TREATMENT COURT PROGRAM



PHOTO BY CASSANDRA FAVRE | SEA COAST ECHO
A family reunited from left, Heather, Maci, Katelyn, Eric, and Olivia.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

"He wants to see reunification," Eric Greer said of Hancock County Judge Trent Favre. "Where I'm from, chances of you getting

your kids back are slim, very, very slim. If we would have lost our kids where we are from, we would have never seen them again. There would have been no hope. They don't have no pro-

gram like this and they darn sure don't have a judge like this. He wants what's best for the kids."

June, according to the American Bar Association's website, is National Reunification

Month which, "recognizes the people and efforts around the country that help families to stay together."

Hancock County Youth Court staff attorney Kelly Creely said that when an issue develops in the home, Child Protective Services prepares the report and relays that information to Hancock County Judge Trent Favre.

At that point, officials decide if the case can be resolved with the child remaining in the home. If it can't be resolved in the home, the child is taken into custody, Creely said.

Heather Murphy, 26, and Greer, 32, originally from Walthall County near Hattiesburg, moved to Hancock County to get away from drugs and to take care of Greer's grandmother.

"We got here and somebody that my mom knew from our family came and stayed with us

for a couple of days and then got mad because he had his stuff out in the car and his stuff got stolen," Greer said. "So, he got mad and called DHS on us. That's how we ended up here."

"They didn't take the kids at first," Murphy said. "We passed all of our drug tests, we did everything we were supposed to."

Greer said after they were stranded in Pike County for a month and didn't see their children, Child Protective Services took their daughters, Maci, who was six at the time — and Katelyn, who was three at the time, into custody.

"They took the kids and we came down here to get them back," he said. "We were homeless for a long time. We were riding bikes back and forth. Living under

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HELPING HANDS OF WAVELAND

HONOR BO HUMPHREY



PHOTO BY CASSANDRA FAVRE | SEA COAST ECHO
From left, WHHCO member Sammy Hawkins, WHHCO vice-president Clarence Singleton-Harris, Waveland public works manager and WHHCO honoree Bo Humphrey, and Waveland Mayor Jay Trapani.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

On June 19, which commemorates the Juneteenth holiday, the Waveland Helping Hands Community Organization presented Bo Humphrey with a plaque in appreciation of his "20 years of outstanding leadership service to the city of Waveland and volunteering."

Humphrey is Waveland's public works manager and WHHCO vice-president Clarence Singleton-Harris said of Humphrey that "he's an outstanding person in the community."

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ST. ROSE BLUES BARBECUE

MULTICULTURAL
FESTIVAL THIS
WEEKEND



ECHO FILE PHOTO
The Dave Mayley band performs at the St. Rose BBQ Multicultural Festival.

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Organizers of the St. Rose de Lima Blues & BBQ Festival always manage to plan plenty of music, food and fun; and this year's Festival offers an expanding multicultural theme. "St. Rose is the spirit of the community," said Tish Williams, Executive Director of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce. "When their volunteers come together to put on an event, it is something you do not want to miss because you will get the best music, food and fellowship found anywhere."

The Festival kicks off at 6 p.m. on Friday June 28 at the Historic Bay St Louis Train Depot with Erubial Sandoval and his own Mariachi sound. Come and en-

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Today
90°

Low Temperature 77°F
89% Chance of Rain
Humidity 76%

High Tide
01:55 pm @ 1.31 ft
Low Tide
02:31 am @ 0.26 ft



June 28
90°

Low Temperature 78°F
85% Chance of Rain
Humidity 74%

High Tide
11:18 am @ 1.18 ft
Low Tide
01:44 am @ 0.59 ft



June 29
90°

Low Temperature 79°F
82% Chance of Rain
Humidity 75%

High Tide
09:26 am @ 1.35 ft
Low Tide
07:50 pm @ 0.33 ft



June 30
92°

Low Temperature 79°F
87% Chance of Rain
Humidity 76%

High Tide
08:59 am @ 1.67 ft
Low Tide
08:01 pm @ -0 ft



July 1
91°

Low Temperature 79°F
No Chance of Rain
Humidity 72%

High Tide
09:15 am @ 1.94 ft
Low Tide
08:32 pm @ -0.26 ft



July 2
90°

Low Temperature 78°F
No Chance of Rain
Humidity 71%

High Tide
09:48 am @ 2.17 ft
Low Tide
09:13 pm @ -0.39 ft



July 3
87°

Low Temperature 80°F
89% Chance of Rain
Humidity 74%

High Tide
10:29 am @ 2.26 ft
Low Tide
09:57 pm @ -0.46 ft



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B-W Garden Club honors late volunteer Dr. Bill Bradford



Photo by Geoff Belcher | Sea Coast Echo
Friends and family of the late Dr. Bill Bradford gathered at the Waveland branch of the Hancock County Library System, where the Bay-Waveland Garden Club dedicated a bench in his honor.

BY GEOFF BELCHER
PUBLISHER

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club last week dedicated a bench in front of the Waveland Library to the late Dr. William “Bill” Bradford.

Bradford “was humble, he was active and he was also very giving,” Lynn Lee said in a poem she recited for the ceremony on Wednesday. “To us he was a prime example of a wonderful

life worth living.”

Bradford’s son John Bradford was on hand for the event, and thanked the crowd gathered for the honor in his father’s name.

“After a long career in medicine, (Dr. Bill) never really did retire,” Lee said. “He had a volunteering spirit one could not help but admire.”

Bradford spent his post-retirement life as both an avid cyclist and a devoted volunteer for

numerous causes in Waveland and Hancock County, including St. Clare Catholic Church and its soup kitchen; the Waveland Library; the Ground Zero Museum; and working to help clean up and beautify the city.

“He was such an inspiration and we will miss him in our class,” Lee said. “But we’re sure he’s helping in heaven and riding his bike to Mass.”

Hancock Chamber Announces Award Nominees

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

The Hancock Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the 2024 nominees for Businesses of the Year and Nonprofit of the Year. Each year, Chamber members elect one Business of the Year from each of the four communities it serves as well as one Nonprofit of the Year for all of Hancock County. The nominees are as follows:

Bay St. Louis

- Chiniche Engineering & Surveying
- Gulf Coast Golf Carts
- Gulf Coast Home
- Lagarde’s Fine Wine & Spirits
- MC Conveyors & Maintenance
- Moss Towing
- Ochsner Medical Center Hancock
- Pearl Hotel
- Popcorn Plus

Diamondhead

- Coastline Title & Escrow
- Favre Towing
- Memorial Physicians Clinic-Diamondhead

Multispecialty

- Ramade Inn of Diamondhead

Waveland

- Amur Aesthetics
- Ashman-Mollere Realty, Inc.
- Get Stitched & Printed
- Keesler Federal Credit Union - Waveland Branch
- Juan Tequila’s
- Wishlist Flea Market

Kiln/Hancock County

- Freedom Services
- La Terre Farms
- Skydweller
- Stump N Grind

Nonprofit of the Year

- Coastal Wake & Buoy’s Foundation
- Junior Auxiliary of Hancock County
- Library Foundation of Hancock County
- The Arts, Hancock County

Announcements for the Top 10 Outstanding Citizens, Industry of the Year and the Community Award of Excellence will be made over the

next week on the Chamber’s social media accounts and will be submitted for publication in next week’s Sea Coast Echo.

Chamber members will cast their votes by secure ballots in July. Winners will be announced once all votes are tallied and certified. Each winner will be honored at the Salute to Business & Industry Awards Gala on Thursday, Aug. 22nd at Hollywood Casino Gulf Coast. Cocktail hour begins at 5:30 p.m. and the program will begin at 6:30 p.m. Admission is \$80 per person. This event typically sells out, so please make reservations soon. Sponsorships begin at \$1,200. A silent auction will be held to benefit the Hancock County Community Development Foundation. Register online at <http://hancockchamber.org>. Those wishing to donate a silent auction item should call the Hancock Chamber at 228.467.9048 or email Janice Jones at janice@hancockchamber.org to coordinate.

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“He sees a need, fills it, and quietly moves,” a WWHCO tribute states. In addition to his years with the city, Humphrey also owned and operated Mobile Magic Pressure Washing and Detailing. “With a mindset that there’s always enough work to go around, he has employed family, friends, and others who just needed a chance,” the tribute states. “If he can’t take care of it, he happily refers them to other locals for the opportunity. Having Mobile Magic

provided a great opportunity for him to both converse with clients and mentor those who worked with him. Even referenced it as his ministry at one point. A great listener, so many of his customers still call him just to chat.” The tribute further states that Humphrey can be found serving communities after disasters, family and church functions, fundraisers, employee gatherings, or local summer festivals and celebrations. “I just wanted to thank Helping Hands for presenting me the appreciation for outstanding leadership service,” Humphrey said. “All I want to say to people is, you never know who’s watching. You always want to

do things under the table, I do. But you never who’s watching. I appreciate them watching and looking at me and honoring me.” WWHCO member Sammy Hawkins thanked Humphrey. “Anytime anyone has asked him to do anything, he’s always done his best,” Hawkins said. “We appreciate having him here and we appreciate him being a part of everything we do.” Singleton-Harris also said that it was significant to honor Humphrey on Juneteenth. According to the WWHCO booklet, “Juneteenth is the oldest known celebration commemorating the ending of slavery in the United States. Dating

back to 1865, it was on June 19 that the Union soldiers, led by Major General Gordon Granger, landed at Galveston, Texas with news that the war had ended and that the enslaved were now free. Note that this was two-and-a-half years after President Lincoln’s Emancipation Proclamation — which had become official January 1, 1863. The Emancipation Proclamation had little impact on the Texans due to the minimal number of Union troops to enforce the new Executive Order. However, with the surrender of General Lee in April of 1865, and the arrival of General Granger’s regiment, the forces were finally strong enough to influence and overcome the resistance.”

• FAMILY

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the bridge for about six months until we finally got enough money saved up and got an apartment.” Both Murphy and Greer participated in Hancock County’s Family Treatment Court program. Through a partnership with Tulane University, participants see a medical doctor who prescribes any medication they might need, Family Treatment Court’s program coordinator Sarah Johnson said. The program includes three 90-day phases and the amount of testing depends on the level of care a participant needs. Graduates of the program also have the option to continue seeing a therapist, undergo drug screens, or see the doctor, Johnson said. At first, the pair said, they “really didn’t want to do it.”

“But, now we don’t want to leave,” he said. “We graduated months ago, but we’re still here.” Murphy and Greer graduated in February of this year. Prior to participating in the treatment program, Greer and Murphy had already decided to “get clean” for their children. “Where we were staying, there was a lot of drugs all over the place,” he said. “I got tired of my kids being in that environment and that was the only place I really had to go. And then my mom called me and told me that my grandma needed someone to take care of her. And I came down here to take care of my grandma and because I knew that was the only way. The only way to

get off the drugs is to get away from the drugs.” Greer said they went back to Walthall County after the children were placed into custody. “My grandma had lost her place down here whenever we got stranded, so we decided we were just going to try and get clean there and it wasn’t working,” Greer said. “So, I said ‘hey, we need some help.’ I couldn’t find nothing free or anything I could afford to help me. Sarah, she had kept in contact the whole time and said ‘you can come down here and join the program.’ So, we finally decided to be clean.” The pair eventually got a vehicle, which they also slept in. They were sleeping behind a store in Gulfport where they were employed and someone called law enforcement on them. “They picked me up for an old warrant,” he said. “Somehow or another, I got out and got back to the treatment court and started reporting to the PO (probation officer). The program saved my life.” Greer described Judge Favre as “awesome.” “He wants the better for people,” Murphy said.

Since they began the program, neither Murphy nor Greer have failed a drug test, they said. They are now more than 449 days sober. Greer said his journey with hard drug use began in his childhood. “I was diagnosed with ADHD when I was a kid,” he said. “When I was 15, my grandma forgot to renew my medication, so they ended up cutting me off. And then, a few years later, meth came around and I just tried it, dabbled with it a little bit. I’ve been doing

drugs my whole life.” Murphy said she always liked opiates. “I would take pain pills from my daddy and, later on I got on heroin,” she said. “I went to rehab in 2017. I came home, I stayed clean for a little while. I started taking Suboxone. I did that for a long time. I didn’t have the prescription then. Then one day, I ran out of those, so that’s when I went back to the meth. The detox from Suboxone is terrible. Then they took the kids and I went back to heroin and meth.” After their children were placed in foster care and they were homeless, Greer said, they “just didn’t think we would get them back.” “We didn’t think we were going to come down here and be homeless, but we finally decided — after OD’ing a couple of times — that if we wanted our kids back and if we wanted to be sober, we had to leave there and come back here and be homeless,” he said. “I told her then, I said, ‘look we’re going to be sober, we’re going to be clean and we’re going to go back and be homeless.’ We’re going to do whatever it takes to get our kids back and that’s what we did.”

Their car broke down and the pair bicycled back and forth to work and treatment court. They also went to Brenda’s House for regular visitation with their daughters. All together, the children were in foster care for about seven months, they said. The family was reunited on Sept. 8, 2023. “I was really happy,” she said. “I’m really grateful for the program, because if it wouldn’t have been for the program, we wouldn’t have

gotten them back.” The family now has housing, a working vehicle and recent addition, one-month old Olivia. Murphy and Greer have been together off and on for almost a decade. The last six years, they’ve been together exclusively. “It’s been hard,” Greer said. “I guess the love we have for each other is stronger than anything else. That’s my rock. She keeps me straight.” Murphy said, “he’s just been there for me a lot more than anybody else has.” They got married on May 3, 2023. Murphy described peer support specialist April Johnson as a “friend.” “Sarah’s the backbone,” Greer said. “She’s the strict one. She’s the one that makes sure you’re here on time. She’s a much needed necessity.” The pair described recovery specialist and licensed clinical social worker Cecile Tebo as

“perky and happy.” “No matter what kind of bad day you’re having, you come in and talk to her and she’s going to make you very happy,” Greer said. Greer said Judge Favre is “just awesome.” “He’s done so much for me and my family,” he said. “There’s not a word to describe the debts that I owe him. I feel forever indebted to him because he’s just amazing.” Johnson, who graduated from treatment court in 2022, gives participants a feeling of ease, Greer and Murphy said. “That makes it easier,” Murphy said. “Having somebody there that actually knows what you’ve been through.” Greer added, “It’s a lot better than somebody that’s never drank or did drugs a day in their life to say, ‘Oh I know what you’re feeling, I know exactly what you’re talking about.’” “With Cecile and April, they’ve really

been there,” he said. “It makes a big, big difference. They can sit there and say ‘I know what you’re talking about,’ because they have been through it.” Murphy said it makes one feel more comfortable in the program. “You see that obviously it can be done,” Greer said. “They’ve done it, why can’t you? I’m a competitive type person, so if somebody else can do it, I know I can.” Greer said he is also learning how to become a peer support specialist. “I feel like it would help me in my sobriety for me to be able to give back,” he said. “I might be helping teens or other people, it don’t matter who, as long as I can help one person, then I feel like I did something right. If they do set me up with helping teens, if I can just get one teen to not go down the path that I went down, that would be great. I feel happy to be sober and I want to give back.”



PHOTO BY SARAH JOHNSON
From left Hancock County Judge Trent Favre, Heather, and Eric on their graduation day from the Hancock County Family Treatment Court program.

HOW TO **AVOID COSTLY HOUSING MISTAKES BEFORE AND AFTER A DIVORCE**

Hancock & Harrison County, MS - Divorce is rarely easy and often means a lot of difficult decisions. One of the most important decisions is what to do about the house.

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Probably the first decision is whether you want to continue living in the house. Will the familiar surroundings bring you comfort and emotional security, or unpleasant memories? Do you want to minimize change by staying where you are, or sell your home and move to a new place that offers a new start? Only you can answer those questions, but there will almost certainly be some financial repercussions to your decision process. What can you afford? Can you manage the old house on your new budget? Is refinancing possible? Or is it better to sell and buy? How much house can you buy on your new budget?

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Bay Watch:

GOLF CARTS KEEP ROLLING, BAY KEEPS GROWING

Editor’s note: This is another installment of an occasional series taking a look at some of the interesting people and places around Hancock County.

BY GEOFF BELCHER
PUBLISHER

Golf carts have proliferated in Bay St. Louis since the BSL City Council adopted provisions to make them street-legal in 2018, and one local merchant thinks that’s one of the major factors in the Old Town area’s rapid growth in the past few years.

The city of Waveland followed suit soon after. “I think it has definitely helped grow the economy for the Bay in the past six years,” Brett Ladner, owner of Quality Custom Carts, said last week. “I have a customer who said he takes his golf cart now all over, from work to the grocery store,” due to the high cost of gasoline.

Electric just need to be

plugged in to a standard 110 outlet, Ladner said, and gas-powered carts “might cost \$10 a week to run.”

It’s also much easier to find parking for a golf cart in Old Town than it is for a car, Ladner said.

The ease and economy of use also help “keep the locals in town, spending their money here, instead of going across the bridge (to Pass Christian) or somewhere else,” Ladner said.

Quality Custom Carts opened in its current location at 734 Hwy. 90 in the Bay, right next to Breath’s Boats & Motors, on June 8.

While the building is new, the business is not, Ladner said.

He first opened up shop on Hwy. 603 in 2012, then moved for awhile to 1170 Hwy. 90 before building the new storefront.

Quality Custom Carts offers sales, service and

rentals of a wide variety of new and used golf carts — both electric and gas powered, Ladner said, as well as sales and service of e-bikes.

A family could pick up a brand new electric cart for as little as \$6,995, Ladner said, or rent one for as little as \$125 a day, but Quality Custom Carts offers a huge range of sizes.

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Quality custom carts can also “stretch” your existing four-seater into a larger model, if you want, and can customize them in multiple ways with molded body kits and custom paint and accessories, even adding audio, LED lighting and more.

“We had a customer who wanted us to replicate his Jeep,” Ladner



Photo by Geoff Belcher | Sea Coast Echo
Brett Ladner of Quality Custom Carts, LLC, in Bay St. Louis, displaying a new golf cart and a couple of e-bikes,

said, “and we made a cart look like his Jeep. We had another customer who wanted a convertible Jeep — It was built from the ground up. Whenever we’ve been approached with custom requests, we’ve pretty much been able to meet the customer’s needs.”

For more on Quality Custom Carts, LLC, check out the business

on Facebook or at qualitycustomcarts.com; or call 228-671-9851.

SNHU Announces Winter 2024 Dean’s List

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

It is with great pleasure that Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) congratulates the following students on being named to the Winter 2024 Dean’s List. The winter terms run from January to May.

Full-time undergraduate students who have earned a minimum

grade-point average of 3.500 to 3.699 for the reporting term are named to the Dean’s List. Full-time status is achieved by earning 12 credits over each 16-week term or paired 8-week terms grouped in fall, winter/spring, and summer.

Anthony Weaver of Bay St. Louis

Colton Mills of Bay St. Louis

Andrew Olague of Di-

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The MILESTONES

Today marks my parents’ 43rd wedding anniversary. Their marriage has produced two daughters, two angel grand-babies, and the absolute light of our lives, their grandson and my nephew.

It has been filled with lots of love, laughter, turmoil, numerous family vacations, celebratory moments, and numerous health scares, operations, and subsequent caregiving duties.

I think my dad took that whole “in sickness and in health” vow a little too seriously. Granted, that is through no fault of his own.

My mom has been his constant support and caregiver throughout all these years. I often look at her and wonder how she does it without breaking stride.

It seemed fitting, that a year ago today, dad would have his skin flap surgery to remove the mouth cancer, remove his lower teeth, and remove and replace his jaw bone with bone from his leg.

That turned into a four week stay in ICU, another two weeks spent in inpatient rehab, and then 30 rounds of radiation treatments to his face.

It’s hard to believe it’s been a year already. When you’re in the thick of things, time seems to move so slowly, as you wonder what new hell the next day might bring.

Once it was allowed, my mom stayed with my dad in the hospital every night and day, only leaving on the weekends so their helicopter daughter, a.k.a. Cassandra, could stay with him. Although, a little bird told me the other day that he often refers to me as “mother” now.

At least today’s marking of their anniversary won’t be spent in the waiting room, operating room, or ICU at Touro hospital.

Although I do have to say, Touro has a very nice cafeteria which serves up some quite tasty food and, of course, my favorite, the Orleans Coffee Espresso Bar, which is located across the street from Touro, kept me caffeinated the entire time.

As of my writing this, daddy is able to eat certain foods on his own, so much so that doctors removed his feeding tube. That was definitely an exciting milestone.

There is little to no wound care to manage anymore and the fluid in his face is decreasing.

It’s amazing to see how far he has come in this year since the surgery. It was QUITE the bumpy and scary road though and we didn’t know what

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HANCOCK HISTORY: VIETNAM AIR CAVALRY

Many years ago, armies employed soldiers who fought on horseback that were called cavalry. In modern day warfare, the army adopted the term cavalry to describe their soldiers who fought in armored vehicles such as tanks. During the Vietnam War, the US Army organized an Air Cavalry of thousands of armed helicopters to engage the enemy in the asymmetric, hybrid or guerrilla jungle combat required then. This column will continue the story of Hancock County veteran, Lieutenant Ron Thorp, who was a helicopter pilot during that war.

Most helicopters had Indian names like Chinook, Iroquois, Apache, Comanche, Creek, and Black Hawk. A typical helicopter unit going out into the field would cluster nine “slicks” with a gunship on either flank under the leadership of the command-and-control helicopter. Ron’s helicopter company was

called the Greyhounds with emblem stickers on the slicks provided by the Greyhound Bus Company. The gunships were called “Mad Dogs.” The repair choppers were known as “Kennel Keepers.” The company needed twenty-seven Hueys in order to have twelve at all times for operations. The US Army employed seven thousand helicopters in the Vietnam War, half of which were destroyed in combat. Nevertheless, the Army invented an Air Cavalry lethal strategy to compliment the air war abilities of the US Air Force that proved vital in this different kind of warfare.

In Ron’s company there were 240 enlisted men and 30-50 pilots depending on if there was a shortage or full compliment of aviators. Ron was shot down three times but not injured. That was because a Huey would land immediately if an enemy bullet hit a vital structure such as a

hydraulic fluid line or a fuel line. It did not mean a crash. A big Chinook helicopter would then be called in, if needed, and it would be powerful enough to lift the Huey by lowering a cable hook that attached to a “Jesus Nut” on top of the rotary blades. The damaged Huey would subsequently be transported back to the base for repairs.

After six months Ron was transferred to Long Binh Army Headquarters and placed in charge of a VIP Air Transport Unit. Ron’s airline had twenty-seven helicopters, twelve fixed-wing aircraft, and he occasionally borrowed an executive jet. It was a wonderful desk job in a war zone. Ron served five-and-one-half years active duty and twenty-three years in the Reserves. He completed Command and General Staff College while in his reserve unit.

Ron’s wife, Gretchen Clasen (b. 1947), met him on a blind date in 1968.

HANCOCK HISTORY
BY JAMES KEATING M.D.

She was from New Orleans and graduated from Behrman High School in New Orleans. She was a nursing student at Texas Christian University, and they married in 1970 after he came back from Vietnam. They have two children: Brian (1973) and Nicole (1976). Ron and his family lived in Houston, Texas, for thirty-five years. Ron was in the insurance business until 1985 when he started an office supply and printing company. He also owned and operated

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HOW TO BEAT THE MISSISSIPPI HEAT!

- STAY INSIDE DURING THE HEAT OF THE DAY
- USE THE A.C. AND FANS
- DRINK LOTS OF WATER
- EAT SOME JUICY FRUIT
- KEEP YOUR PETS INSIDE AND COOL, TOO

RICKY NOBLE

BAY ST. LOUIS LITTLE THEATRE A MAN FOR ALL SEASONS REVIEW

GUEST COLUMN
BY DAVID KENNEDY SAUER

If anyone ever wondered why The Bay St. Louis Little Theatre was uniquely given the Mississippi Governor’s Award for Excellence, the current production of Robert Bolt’s A Man for All Seasons gives full evidence. The production of a play as challenging as Shakespeare is done by a company of fourteen actors who “transport us completely to another time,” as one audience member said in front of me upon leaving the theatre.

The trick to doing this is that each actor was carefully constructed a character whose choices embodied the kind of person played. And those

choices challenge the audience to ask – what would I do in the same situation, what choice would I make if I lived then?

The play focuses on the choice St. Thomas More, the difficult role played with exactitude by Robert Newton, makes when Henry VIII demands support to end his marriage to Catherine of Aragon because he had no male heir. This seemingly arcane issue is made quite personal for every character in the play who must opt to side with the King or with Rome. Thomas, unlike the others who come to accord with the King, refuses to make his choice known, and offers instead only “silence.”

He refuses to even explain to his wife, his

daughter, or his best friend, fearing on pain of death they would be forced to say what he confided. Without soliloquies to explain to us, the audience must deduce the unique stand Thomas makes for principle—not for ‘morality’ but because he made an early commitment to “the law.” This is a tough distinction that, for him, makes it a personal matter of choice, not of right or wrong. None of the other characters can understand his reasoning.

The play has surprising relevance today when there is a similar debate over whether one’s allegiance is to the President, or to the law, the Constitution. And like today, most go along with the majority without ever really seeing the

distinction.

Bolt’s greatest invention was a character called The Common Man, played with folksy asides by Harry B. Joachim, who embodies no choices, just tries to go along to get along. He plays different characters who pop up momentarily—until the end when he is forced to be foreman of the jury, vote guilty, and then becomes executioner of Thomas More.

All the other characters in the play, however, try to rationalize their choices, except for another contrast to More, Richard Rich, played with perfect deference by

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ARREST RECORD



Arrests logged at the Hancock County Justice facility from June 17 to June 24 appearance on the jail log is not indicative of guilt, merely a record that an arrest has been made.

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Cheri S. Smith, 40, contempt of court failure to appear
Noah T. Graves, 37, probation violation
Destiny M. Taranto, 20, contempt of court failure to appear
Glenn A. Rogers Jr., 46, contempt of court failure to appear
Michael D. Parham, 51, contempt of court failure to appear
Leon Galloway, 47, sale or delivery of a controlled substance x 3
Montanna R. Schwartz, 21, contempt of court failure to appear
Kristopher L. Gibson, 43, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Anthony J. Necaise, 45, forgery
Blake E. Scheel, 32, forgery; probation violation
Jessey W. Bellais, 39, contempt of court violation of protective order or court approved consent agreement x 3
Tommie L. Williams, III, 23, DUI
Charles Procell, 43, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while oper-

ating a motor vehicle
Tanika C. Cline, 48, embezzlement; misdemeanor possession of controlled substance; contempt of court failure to appear
Chad M. Brewster, 54, hold for other agency; felony possession of controlled substance
Ernest R. McLain, 45, trespass
Isabella J. Warihay, 19, simple domestic violence simple assault
Michael J. Langley, 51, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
April Johnson, 43, simple domestic violence simple assault; disorderly conduct; motor vehicle resisting/obstructing arrest
Lillie J. Pellegrin, 61, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Albrianna A. Gaston, 20, contempt of court - bench warrant
Christian J. Hatcher, 28, contempt failure to appear
Daniel J. Lemoine Jr., 55, careless driving; DUI
William M. Williamson, 41, simple domestic violence simple assault; resisting/obstructing arrest
Chanse M. Maher, 40, contempt failure to appear
Marlon W. Kowalski, 57, trespassing; parole

violation
Chance L. Kellar, 28, controlled substance; trafficking
Arna R. Selvage Jr., 41, probation violation
Damon H. Capps, 21, contempt failure to appear x 2
Bryan J. Moran, 36, simple domestic violence simple assault; probation violation
Katherine D. Vaughan, 35, simple domestic violence simple assault
Sarah G. Ladner, 36, contempt failure to appear
Kevin M. Billiot, 55, sex offender registration failure
Auriel D. Khoury, 34, felony possession of controlled substance
Brandon D. Cage, 19, DUI
Mason Smith, 19, disorderly conduct
Manch S. Cadwallader III, 31, shoplifting; aggravated domestic violence
Taren L. Cloud, 39, contempt of court failure to appear
Marshall D. Hoffman, 32, DUI; DUI child endangerment; misdemeanor possession of controlled substance
Richard G. Wilson, 46, sex offender registration failure
Lacey A. Hebert, 38, back for court/court or-

der
Roslyn A. Nelson, 44, simple assault
Dalton T. Byrd, 28, contempt of court failure to appear x 3
Brice C. Johnson, 30, contempt of court failure to appear
Ernest W. Thomas Jr., 51, drunkenness/profanity in public place
Demi M. Lafleur, 29, parole violation
Curtis D. Blackwood, 23, gator no permit x 3; unlawful possession x 3; contempt of court failure to appear
Gina M. Green, 46, controlled substance trafficking
Sherman L. Bentrum, 64, hold for other agency
Derrick J. Benoit, 39, contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Harry B. Roberts, 50, contempt of court failure to appear
Matthew J. Baucum, 25, contempt of court failure to appear; no proof of liability insurance; no drivers license or expired; failure to keep proper line; DUI third/subsequent conviction
Jay C. Owens, 42, contempt of court failure to appear
Konstantinos P. Kolidas, 43, contempt failure to appear

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ed a storage facility and rental property. While in Houston, Ron and Gretchen arranged to fill sixty containers with medicines, drugs, clothing, and all sorts of donations from all across the country. These large shipping containers were then shipped on Chiquita Banana Boats to Hondur-

as from Houston assisting the second poorest nation in the Western Hemisphere. Ron retired in 2007. His activities since moving to Bay St. Louis include Knights of Columbus, Hancock County Historical Society, Church, Politics (Hancock County School District Merger), Food Pantry, and his secret garden.
Ron's takeaway thoughts about the Vietnam War are that Viet-

nam is one of the most visually beautiful countries in the world, possessing abundant rice, oil, minerals, and rivers. The people who wanted democracy and capitalism just couldn't fulfill their dream. He learned a great deal from being with them that he says has assisted him for the rest of his life. Regarding the war, he thinks that in 1969 it could have been won, but that's another story. Heroin and

other drugs were common among the soldiers. There was evidence of black/white race tensions in the ranks. Finally, the Pentagon Papers revealed that the US Government lied to its citizens about the decisions that brought the USA into the war, and then our country lacked the stomach to win the war.

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Tim Gilmore. Costumes embodying the time are by Bonnie Cooper and she did a great job with Rich, reclothing him in grander and grander riches. At the end, when Rich finally gives false testimony to get More convicted, Thomas notices his Chain of Office and gets the biggest laugh line of the play: "it profits a man nothing to give his soul for the whole world . . . but for Wales?"
No space to list every excellent character-

ization, but Art Bailey Jr. gives impressive substance to Cardinal Wolsey. Jim Lindsay is an excellent King Henry in his one scene. But he neatly deviates as he talks informally to Thomas off on one topic—veering back to the divorce—veering away, bursting with anger when he doesn't find agreement with his desires.
Executing his desires is Thomas Cromwell, played with fake good humor alternating with rage by Michael Schultz. He ultimately gets the Chancellorship and carries out the King's wishes. But in a freeze

near the end of the play, all the characters' abrupt ends are listed by date—except for Rich who dies in his bed of wealth.
The most moving scene in the play is near the end when More's family begs him to give in so as not to be executed and his wife, Alice, played by the diminutive Bonnie Cooper, berates him for being so unbending and notes her fear she'll hate him after death—but then breaks down and confesses their unending love in an embrace that brings tears.
Direction by Cheryl Grace with Clayton Pennylegion was impeccable. Firstly because,

even to this deaf in one ear person, everyone spoke loudly and with clarity. In addition, each character stayed in character, watching carefully whoever was speaking giving clear focus to the speaker. And most importantly, the cast had a cohesiveness that tied perfectly to the play's sense of isolating More from those who go with the crowd.
The production continues June 28, 29, at 8 p.m., Sunday matinee at 2 on June 30, 398 Blaize Ave.
David Kennedy Sauer Prof Emeritus, English and Theatre, Spring Hill College

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the future would be like.
But, I am so happy to report that he is returning to old self. He cracks jokes, his sarcasm is back to regular levels, and he is enjoying doing things again like traveling to Texas for my brother-in-law's U.S. Coast Guard Change of Command of the Harry Claiborne last week.
Milestones are important to celebrate, especially in my family. We celebrate his kidney birthday once a year and now we will mark the

day they cut the cancer out of his face.
However, despite the happy tidings this day brings, cancer most definitely sucks, in all its forms. My heart is with those who are going through it and the caregivers who give so much of themselves to take care of them.
I've always been very grateful for my parents — well, the teenage years were rough for sure — but I've always known how lucky I am to have parents who not only love their children unconditionally, but also each other. No, they aren't perfect, and — like anyone — have their ups

and downs. Lord knows my dad isn't the easiest of patients either. (It's true, dad.) Although, ALL of the nurses at Touro and beyond, just love him. It's like when you leave the kids with someone else, they always act better for them.
Happy anniversary to my amazing parents. I'm glad to call you mine. I'm proud to be your helicopter daughter, no matter how annoyed you get with my "overbearing" (as the nephew puts it) ways.
Enjoy this special day and I look forward to celebrating many, many more milestones.
Dear readers, don't for-

get to celebrate these milestones in your lives either. You don't have to do anything special or buy the most expensive things, either. Going out to fancy restaurants and buying a bunch of junk doesn't mean a hill of beans when it comes to events such as cancer and death. It's about acknowledging the time we are given with each other and how precious it is. Don't take it for granted.
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Obituaries

• SULLIVAN BELL SR.

• GREGORY (GREG) MCELVEEN

• CLAUDIA CECILE PRESTON

• GLEN RAY STRONG

Sullivan Bell Sr.

Funeral service will be held Tuesday, June 25, 2024, at 11am., visitation at 10am., at St. Rose Delima Catholic Church for Sullivan Bell Sr., who passed away June 14, 2024. He was a native of Bay St. Louis, MS. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home.



all from Brewton, AL. There will be a balloon release in the near future. Gone but not forgotten.

Gregory (Greg) McElveen

Gregory McElveen, age 53, of Pass Christian, MS passed away on June 11, 2024. Greg was a loyal employee at Gulf Coast Concrete for five years. He was a Saints fan, but loved listening to music and drinking a few beers. He was preceded in death by his father, James McElveen Sr., and grand-

parents John and Betty Asher. Survivors include his mother, Linda Smith; brother James McElveen Jr., (Michelle); sister Jane McElveen (James); daughters Darion (Tevin) McElveen; Katelyn McElveen; and son Erik McElveen; grandchildren Sophia, Raelyn, and Liam; four step-daughters; two step-grandchildren; longtime friends Patricia and Tim Marion

Claudia Cecile Preston

Claudia Cecile Preston, 71, of Cookeville, TN, passed away peacefully on May 10, 2024. She was a cherished mother,



daughter, sister, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, godmother, and friend who will be deeply missed by all who knew her. She led a life filled with love and service.

Glen Ray Strong

Glen Ray Strong, peacefully passed away at the age of 70, on June 18, 2024 in Covington, Louisiana. He was born June 25, 1953, in Bay Saint Louis, Mississippi to the late Harold and Julia Strong. Glen was preceded in death by his parents. Glen is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Connie Strong; his two daughters Star Boquet and Nova Reisch (Jonathan); grandchildren Ryan Boquet, Mia Boquet, Wyatt Leahy, and Josephine Reisch. Glen was known as a generous, light-hearted and compassionate soul. He



loved the simple things in life and spending time with his precious family and two best buddies David Garcia and Ricky Geoffrey. He enjoyed cooking his favorite dishes, gardening, fishing, boating, playing golf, traveling, and scuba diving. Glen worked in law enforcement for 21 years for the Hancock County Sheriffs Department as a Criminal Investigator, and finally as the Director of the Drug Task Force. Glen was a veteran of the United States Army and served in Germany. He was also a member of the American Legion. He will be greatly missed by his loving family and always remembered in

MDEQ issues water contact advisory for Orphan Creek

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

MDEQ on Monday issued a water contact advisory following the release of wastewater into Orphan Creek in Hancock County. The advisory covers a section of Orphan Creek from MS-603 to MS-43 (see attached map). This advisory is being issued due to a temporary failure of a wastewater treatment facility. MDEQ recommends that people avoid water contact recreational activities such as swimming, wading, and fishing in these waters. MDEQ will follow up with monitoring and will revise the advisory as needed

fried MS catfish, shrimp, chicken wings and fries, and hamburgers & hot dogs and a variety of treats from the Sweets Parlor. The entertainment continues with Assumed Risk at 2 p.m., the BSL Trio at 4:30 p.m., and Starz Band from 7 to 9 p.m.! There'll be "Dancing at the Depot." Fun activities for kids will include Griffin Ranch Llama and Alpaca at 11 a.m., a photo booth, and other games. In between listening to music and tasting the food, shoppers can browse the great vendor booths offering specialty items. The Big Raffle will be

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joy great food with your choice of a traditional Mexican dinner plate (Steak, Charro beans & Rice) or a la carte pulled pork sandwiches, fried fish, and fries. The entertainment continues with the Jesse Loya Band until 9pm. The festival opens on Saturday, June 29 at 11a.m. with our moving and spirited Choirs, Men's Ensemble followed by the Gospel Choir. And the BBQ & Blues will continue all day, including BBQ ribs, chicken, pulled pork, baked beans, coleslaw,

Waveland announces groundbreaking for new hotel

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE STAFF WRITER

Last week, during Waveland's regular Board of Mayor and Aldermen meeting, Mayor Jay Trapani announced the financial closing on the new hotel in Waveland was expected to occur on Thursday, June 20. Waveland Hospitality LLC, the development group behind the hotel projects, plans to invest a minimum of \$16 million and construct a dual-brand concept featuring the Fairfield and TownePlace Suites brands. Located near the intersection of Highway 90 and Old Spanish Trail, this marks the first hotel development in Waveland in more than two decades. "Been a long time coming," he said. "We're going to schedule a ground-breaking for the morning of July 9 at 10:30 a.m. Everybody's invited to come out there." In a separate matter, the board discussed other potential Tidelands projects. Ward 3 Alderman Shane LaFontaine suggested getting the pavilions back on the pier, which would have to be rebuilt, he said. "If there was some kind of way we could just get up to the pavilions done and then just

rope off just the pier section," LaFontaine said. Trapani said he has been discussing that very topic with engineer Jason Chiniche. "That's what we've been focusing on with the existing Tidelands, is trying to get the pavilions rebuilt," Chiniche said. "The FEMA project with the pier only includes two or three of the small pavilions, no work on the larger pavilions. We did meet with the contractor last week to try and get some budgetary numbers. He's working on that, he does feel like we could come in under \$1 million to replace all of those. So, we should have enough Tidelands to cover that, I believe. The timing of that is going to be critical. Once we get approval to rebuild the pier, we have to see which contractor is going to get in there first to do the pavilion." Chiniche said the products used will be galvanized products. The city could also include an alternate with the bid to determine the cost of painting the galvanized. "The other change they suggested, you have a multi-slope roof on those pavilions that doesn't match any of the other pavilions," Chiniche said. "The Lighthouse, the little shade structure by the volleyball court, those

are all flat singled-sloped roofs so we could go with something like that and it could match everything better. It's a little bit more economical and then we could match the roof systems to those as well." Chiniche said a "lot of those changes could reduce the costs and get all of them replaced at the same time."

In other action: The board approved several motions authorizing the mayor's signature on the following: MS Tidelands Trust Fund Program request for funding FY 2026 in the amount of \$500,000 for Coleman Avenue waterfront improvements; GOMESA Phase II project funding - request for funding FY 2026 in the amount of \$9 million for citywide drainage improvements; authorizing advertisement for construction bids for the city's sewer extension along Hwy. 90, as funded by ARPA; authorizing advertisement for construction bids for the city's lift station evaluation project, as funded by ARPA; and authorizing advertisement for construction bids for the city's gravity sewer cleaning, CCTV, and lining project, as funded by ARPA. The next board meeting is scheduled for July 2 at 6:30 p.m.

Back-to-School fundraiser this weekend

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE STAFF WRITER

On Saturday, June 29, Alfonso Seafood and Jameson Bayside Store are sponsoring the 2nd annual Back-to-School fundraiser. Last year, the event raised enough funds to fill 120 book bags with school supplies for children in need, Rebecca Perron said. This year, the goal is to serve 150 children. In addition, the group plans to select two families to purchase school uniforms for, Perron added. On the third week in July, they will host a Back-to-School bash and hand

out supplies, she said. There will also be raffle tickets available for purchase for a chance to win one of three raffle baskets, Perron said. They will be selling one-and-a-half pound shrimp plates, with potatoes and corn, for \$12 and jambalaya plates for \$10, Perron said. The fundraiser will be held at Jameson Bayside Store, located at 6167 East Desoto Street, Bay St. Louis. All donations are accepted and anyone wishing to contribute can contact Perron at 228-679-7073 or Michelle Alfonso at 228-254-6627.

Man charged with domestic violence in Waveland

ECHO STAFF

On June 20, at 1:43 p.m., officers with the Waveland Police Department were dispatched to the Clark's Exxon at 321 Hwy. 90 in response to a report of shoplifting, Waveland Police Chief Mike Prendergast announced on Friday. Upon arrival, officers observed the suspect, a

white male sitting in a white Jeep near one of the pumps attempting to flee the scene, a release from the Waveland Police Department stats. Officers made contact with the suspect, identified as 31-year-old Manch Stanley Cadwalader III, and noted that he was "sweating profusely and unable to answer officers' questions effectively," the release

states. Officers also detained a white female on the scene, the release states, who was noted to be "visibly upset and hesitant to talk to officers in the presence of Cadwalader." Once alone with officers, the release states

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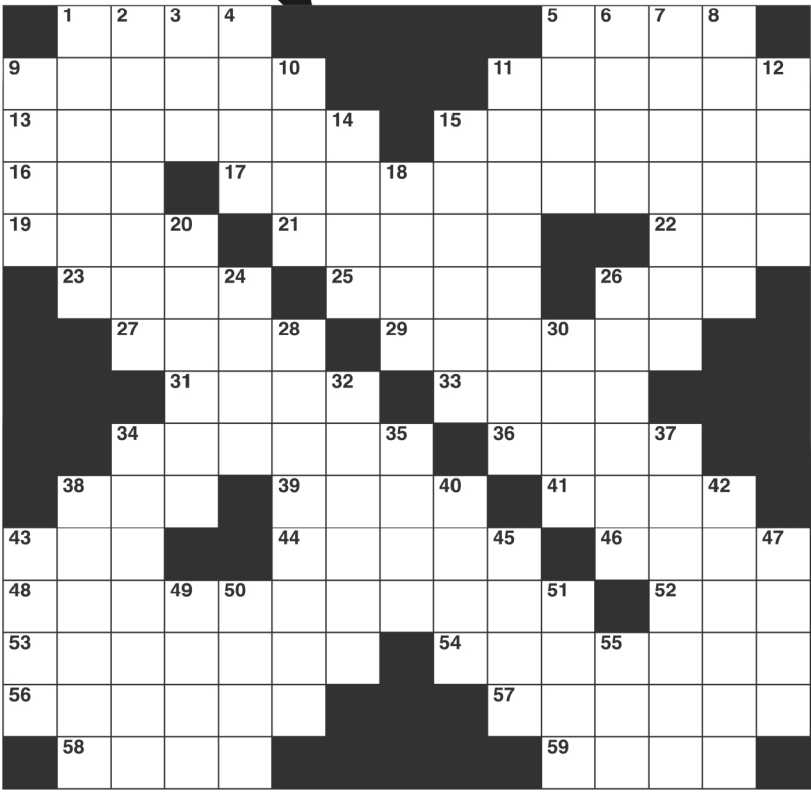


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1. Six (Spanish)
5. Invests in little enterprises
9. Large dung beetle
11. Gored
13. Partially paralyzed
15. Still a little wet
16. Legal field media company
17. Not working
19. 500 sheets of paper
21. Church structure
22. Sheep disease
23. Small drink of whiskey
25. Weaving tradition
26. Pestilence
27. Body part
29. Nabs
31. Places to stay
33. Witnesses
34. Looked for
36. Arranges
38. Political action committee
39. Middle eastern nation (alt. sp.)
41. Hair-like structure
43. Parts producer
44. Greek city
46. Subway dwellers
48. Norm from “Cheers”
52. Clean a floor
53. Vied for
54. Canned fish
56. Inspire with love
57. Sent down moisture
58. Wrest
59. Partner to carrots

CLUES DOWN

1. Mounted
2. Assign
3. Wrath
4. Self-immolation by fire ritual
5. Parts of an organism
6. Person from England
7. Tropical plants of the pea family
8. Body part
9. Practice boxing
10. Containers
11. Contrary beliefs
12. Bleached
14. Pre-Islamic Egyptian
15. A group of similar things ordered one after another
18. Innermost spinal cord membranes
20. Cassava
24. A restaurant's list of offerings
26. Annoy constantly
28. Orchestrate
30. Z Z Z
32. Astute
34. Highly decorated tea urn
35. Teach to behave
37. Endurance
38. Urinating
40. Barbie friend dolls
42. Repents
43. Man-eating giant
45. Jewish calendar month
47. Accelerated
49. Husband of Sita in Hindu
50. Lump of semiliquid substance
51. Lying in wait
55. Cease to exist

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1. What does a funambulist walk on?
2. Area 51 is located in which US state?
3. On a dartboard, what number is directly opposite No. 1?
4. Which American president appears on a one-dollar bill?
5. What geometric shape is generally used for stop signs?
6. How many colors are there in a rainbow?

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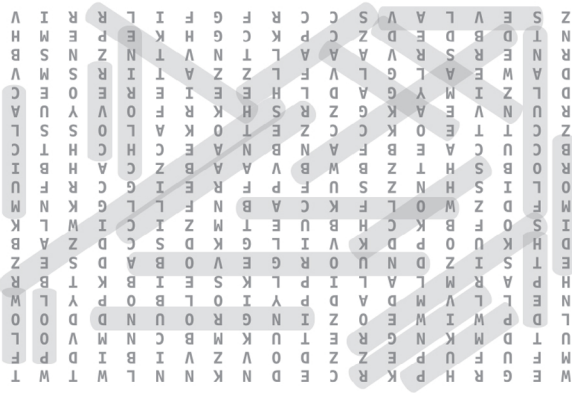
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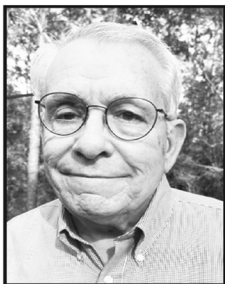
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Devotional Page

The Idea of the Holy By REV. C. GERALD RICHARDSON, D. MIN



C. Gerald Richardson, D. MIN.

A book by Rudolf Otto entitled “The Idea of the Holy” was published several years ago. It raised important matters for consideration with regard to the very idea that people may find some meaningful relation-

ship with a “holy other” in the journey of life. It is still a subject which is worthy of our attention.

The perceptions that people have of God are quite varied. Some, of course, perceive that the idea of God is nothing more than human imagination or wishful thinking. Others think of God in terms of vengeful punishment. For them God delights in catching the human creation in some kind of fault or sin for which they will be held to painful account. Some people think of God as a heavenly accountant who is constantly balancing the books with respect to human behavior.

For these folks’ eternal destiny is determined by how well the books balance at the end of our lives. God may be perceived by some as a kind of transactional manager. In this notion, grace is granted based upon the willingness of an individual to agree to a set of beliefs or propositions. It is treated like a contract, and our fate is determined by how well the terms are kept. Actually, there are biblical passages which might be interpreted to support each of these suppositions, and probably, others as well. There are also passages which call them into question.

In truth, the nature of the

divine is mysterious. Biblical quotes are often tossed around as if a single thought or sentence in the bible settles all questions. That is simply not the case. The bible, which is a collection of ancient writings compiled over hundreds, and even thousands of years, is a record of the human struggle to grasp the profound mystery which lies at the heart of our existence. Historical context, interpretation, the nuance of language, and much more impact the deeper truths of scripture.

There are themes which run through most of the texts which we know as The Holy Bible. They include

accountability, challenge, hope, liberation, and others. One theme that seems to persist throughout the various stories and accounts is that of love. There is an essential claim in scripture that God is the personification of love. It is revealed in a variety of places and numerous ways. The creation story may be read as a love message. The story of liberation of the Hebrew people from Egyptian bondage is another example. The New Testament cannot be understood at all without recognition of the love of God. Among the latest writings of the Christian scripture, in the epistle of First John, the

text very clearly states without equivocation that “God is love”.

There are many ways to study scripture and the theology which it reveals. Not everybody agrees on all of it, and to be honest, some people do not accept any of it. As one wise theologian is quoted as saying, “many of us keep coming back out of a great wish to believe.” No matter where one may be on that journey, it can be worthwhile to return to the questions, to the grace, and to the hope and faith that the love which made us will sustain us, and that we can trust it to the end. Amen.

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE OF B.K.G., a minor
decedent

CAUSE NO.: 23CH1:24-cv-323
(JS)

DEVON WESTBROOK and
AMANDA LYNN WESTBROOK
CO-PETITIONERS
v.
UNKNOWN HEIRS
DEFENDANTS

SUMMONS
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TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS, whose
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dant in the suit filed in this
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VON WESTBROOK and
AMANDA LYNN WEST-
BROOK.
You are summoned to appear
and defend against said Peti-
tion to Establish Heirs on a date
certain set by Fiat, at 9:30 a.m.
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the courtroom of the Harrison
County Chancery Court, Mis-
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and in case of your failure to
appear and defend, a Judg-
ment will be entered against
you for the money or other
things demanded in the Peti-
tion.
You are not required to file an
answer or other pleading, but
you may do so if you so desire.
ISSUED under my hand and
the seal of Court this, the 12th
day of June 2024.

TIFFANY LEE COWMAN
Chancery Clerk of Hancock
County, Mississippi

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
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CAUSE NO.: 23CH1:24-cv-323
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DEVON WESTBROOK and
AMANDA LYNN WESTBROOK
CO-PETITIONERS
v.
UNKNOWN CREDITORS
DEFENDANTS

SUMMONS
(Service by Publication: Resi-
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TO: UNKNOWN CREDITORS,
whose whereabouts and ad-
dress is unknown.
You have been made a Defen-
dant in the suit filed in this
Court by Co-Petitioners, DE-
VON WESTBROOK and
AMANDA LYNN WEST-
BROOK.
You are summoned to appear
and defend against said Peti-
tion to Establish Creditors on a
date certain set by Fiat, at 9:30
a.m. on the 31st day of July,
2024, in the courtroom of the
Harrison County Chancery
Court, Mississippi, located at
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Mississippi and in case of your
failure to appear and defend, a
Judgment will be entered
against you for the money or
other things demanded in the
Petition.
You are not required to file an
answer or other pleading, but
you may do so if you so desire.
ISSUED under my hand and
the seal of Court this, the 12th
day of June 2024.

TIFFANY LEE COWMAN
Chancery Clerk of Hancock
County, Mississippi

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE OF BEVERLY J. BING-
HAM, DECEDENT

CIVIL ACTION NO.:24-cv-
00204-JS

DONALD VINET
PETITIONER

SUMMONS

The State of Mississippi

TO: DANA LYNN WOODS
AND TO ALL UNKNOWN
HEIRS-AT-LAW OF BEVERLY
J. BINGHAM, DECEDENT,
WHOSE NAMES, POST OF-
FICE ADDRESSES AND/OR
STREET ADDRESSES ARE
UNKNOWN
You have been made Defen-
dants in a suit filed in this Court
by DONALD VINET, Petitioner,
seeking to Appoint Administra-
tor, Determination of Heirs of
BEVERLY J. BINGHAM, Dece-
dent.

You are summoned to appear
and defend against the Petition
filed against you in this action
at 9 a.m. on the 26th day of Au-
gust, A.D. 2024, in the
Chancery Courtroom of the
Hancock County Courthouse,
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Louis, Mississippi 39520, and
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manded in the Petition. You
are not required to file an an-
swer or other pleading, but you
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ISSUED under my hand and
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STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

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curred in the performance of
the covenants, terms and con-
ditions of a Deed of Trust dated
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by DALE J MILLER and JEN-
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COMPANY, N.A., as Trustee,
for MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC
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INC. AS BENEFICIARY, AS
NOMINEE FOR COUNTRY-
WIDE HOME LOANS, INC. ,
Original Beneficiary, to secure
the indebtedness therein de-
scribed, as same appears of
record in the office of the
Chancery Clerk of Hancock
County, Mississippi filed and
recorded October 4, 2006, in
Deed Book 2006, Page 48464;
and
WHEREAS, the beneficial in-
terest of said Deed of Trust was
transferred and assigned to
Wilmington Savings Fund So-
ciety, FSB, as Owner Trustee
of the Residential Credit Oppor-
tunities Trust VIII-C; and
WHEREAS, Rubin Lublin, LLC
has been appointed as Substi-
tute Trustee; and
NOW, THEREFORE, the hold-
er of said Deed of Trust, having
requested the undersigned so
to do, as Substitute Trustee or
his duly appointed agent, by
virtue of the power, duty and
authority vested and imposed
upon said Substitute Trustee
shall, on July 18, 2024 within
the lawful hours of sale be-
tween 11:00AM and 4:00PM at
the front door of the Court-
house proceed to sell at public
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bidder for cash or certified
funds ONLY, the following de-
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VISION, AS PER THE OFFI-
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HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: The
street address of the property is
believed to be 17139 FENTON
DEDEAUX RD, KILN, MS
39556. In the event of any dis-
crepancy between this street
address and the legal descrip-
tion of the property, the legal
description shall control.

Title to the above described
property is believed to be good,
but I will convey only such title
as is vested in me as Substitute
Trustee.

THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPT-
ING TO COLLECT A DEBT.
ANY INFORMATION OBTAIN-
ED WILL BE USED FOR THAT
PURPOSE.

Rubin Lublin, LLC
3145 Avalon Ridge Place, Suite
100
Peachtree Corners, GA 30071
rslaw.com/property-listing
Tel: (877) 813-0992
Fax: (470) 508-9401

PUBLISH: 06/20/2024,
06/27/2024, 07/04/2024,
07/11/2024

WAVELAND, MISSISSIPPI
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
DISASTER DEBRIS MONI-
TORING SERVICES

I. INTRODUCTION

A. Purpose:
The City of Waveland (here-
inafter referred to as the City or
Waveland) is accepting sealed
or electronic Request for Pro-
posal (RFP) packages. The
purpose of this RFP is to solicit
responses from qualified firms
to provide Disaster Debris Moni-
toring Services in support of
the City's disaster recovery op-
erations. Information is sought
for Debris Monitoring Services
of disaster-related debris, of ev-
ery kind and nature from public
rights of way within the City,
City property, drainageways,
waterways, (and/or private
property if approved by the
City, State, and or FEMA), as
further described below and in
the attachments. Private Right
of Way Access or Right of En-
try (ROE) may or may not be
part of the projects. However, if
the City, State, or FEMA autho-
rizes the ROE, it may become
part of specific projects. The
objective of this RFP is to iden-
tify and contract for Disaster
Debris Monitoring Services
through an open advertised
RFP process.

B.Request RFP Firms or com-
panies desiring to provide such
services as described in the
Scope of Work, who shall sub-
mit proposals according to RFP

Response Packaging Instruc-
tions. A copy of the RFP for
Debris Monitoring can be ob-
tained by emailing the City
Clerk, see information below, or
visiting the City's website,
www.waveland-ms.gov
C. City Clerk Contact Infor-
mation: Lisa Planchard, City Clerk
City of Waveland 301 Coleman
Avenue Waveland, MS 39576
Work phone: 228-467-4134
Email:lp1anchard@waveland-
ms.gov
D.Packages submitted in re-
sponse to this Request for Pro-
posal must be mailed to the
above person/address, or deliv-
ered to and received by the
City of Waveland at Waveland
City Hall located at 301 Cole-
man Avenue, Waveland, MS.
39576 by or before 12 p.m. on
July 17, 2024.

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE OF DONNA MARIE
LANNING-BOYD, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 2024-CV-161-CB

SUMMONS
[By Publication]

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: THE UNKNOWN STATU-
TORY, WRONGFUL DEATH
BENEFICIARIES OF DONNA
MARIE LANNING-BOYD, DE-
CEASED

The statutory wrongful death
beneficiaries of Donna Marie
Lanning-Boyd, deceased, are
Elmer E. Boyd, Jr. and Brittney
M. Close, Respondents.
You have been made a Re-
spondent in the matter filed in
this Court by Elmer E. Boyd,
Jr., to determine the statutory
wrongful death beneficiaries of
Donna Marie Lanning-Boyd,
deceased. Respondents other
than you are unknown. You
are required to mail or hand-
deliver a copy of a written re-
sponse to the Petition to Deter-
mine Statutory Wrongful Death
Beneficiaries of Donna Marie
Lanning-Boyd, deceased, to
Bradley R. Boerner, Esq.,
whose address is Boerner Law
Firm, P.C., P.O. Box 205,
Brookhaven, MS 39602. Your
response must be mailed or de-
livered within thirty (30) days
from the date of the first publi-
cation of this Summons or a
Judgment by Default will be en-
tered against you for any relief
demanded in the Petition. You
must also file the original of
your response with the Clerk of
this Court within a reasonable
time afterward.
Issued under my hand and the
seal of said Court, this 6th day
of June, 2024.

TIFFANY LEE COWMAN,
HANCOCK COUNTY
CHANCERY CLERK

BY: Ashley N. Holland
D.C.

Prepared by:
Bradley R. Boerner, Esq., MSB
No. 100180
Boerner Law Firm, P.C.
P. O. Box 205
Brookhaven, MS 39602
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Fax: (601) 833-0161

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF DOROTHY RUTH HARRIS,
DECEASED

C. A. NO. 24-CV-330-MA

CHANCERY COURT SUM-
MONS BY PUBLICATION ON
PETITION

TO ADJUDICATE THE HEIRS-
AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN
OF DOROTHY RUTH HARRIS,
DECEASED

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-
AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN
OF DOROTHY RUTH HARRIS,
DECEASED, under the provi-
sions of §§91-1-27 and 91-1-29
of the MISS. CODE ANN.
(1972) as revised and supple-
mented.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUM-
MONED AND COMMANDED
TO PERSONALLY APPEAR
BEFORE THE CHANCERY
COURT OF HANCOCK COUNT-
Y, MISSISSIPPI, MEETING
IN VACATION IN THE
CHANCERY COURTROOM
OF THE HARRISON COUNTY
COURTHOUSE IN GULF-
PORT, MISSISSIPPI, ON THE
26TH DAY OF AUGUST, 2024,
AT 9:00 OCLOCK A.M. TO RE-
SPOND TO A PETITION TO
ADJUDICATE THE HEIRS-AT-
LAW AND NEXT OF KIN OF
DOROTHY RUTH HARRIS,
DECEASED AND SHOW
CAUSE WHY THE RELIEF
SOUGHT AND PRAYED FOR
IN SAID PETITION SHOULD
NOT BE GRANTED.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND
AND SEAL OF SAID COURT,
THIS, THE 18th DAY OF
JUNE, A.D., 2024.

TIFFANY LEE COWMAN,
CHANCERY CLERK

HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI
152 MAIN STREET, SUITE A
BAY ST. LOUIS, MS 39520

(SEAL)
By: s/ Bridgette Ladner, D.C.

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June 27, 2024
July 4, 2024
July 11, 2024

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT
OF DOROTHY RUTH HARRIS,
DECEASED

C.A. NO. 24-CV-330-MA

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO THE CREDITORS OF
DOROTHY RUTH HARRIS,
DECEASED:

Letters Testamentary having
been granted by the Chancery
Court of Hancock County, Mis-
sissippi, on the 17th day of
June, A.D., 2024, to the un-
dersigned upon the Estate of
Dorothy Ruth Harris, deceased,
in Civil Action Number 24-CV-
330-MA, notice is hereby given
to all persons having claims
against said estate to present
the same to the Clerk of said
Court for probate and registra-
tion according to law within
ninety (90) days after the first
publication of this Notice to
Creditors. A failure to probate
and register claims within said
time will operate to forever bar
such said claims.

THIS, the 18th day of June,
A.D., 2024.

s/ Aubin Gale Harris, Jr.
AUBIN GALE HARRIS, JR.,
Co-Executor of the Estate of
Dorothy Ruth Harris, deceased

s/ Daun Harris Tolar
DAUN HARRIS TOLAR, Co-
Executor of the Estate of
Dorothy Ruth Harris, deceased

s/ Autamus Paul Harris
AUTAMUS PAUL HARRIS, Co-
Executor of the Estate of
Dorothy Ruth Harris, deceased

s/ Glenda Harris Ball
GLENDA HARRIS BALL, Co-
Executor of the Estate of
Dorothy Ruth Harris, deceased

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July 11, 2024

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE OF DOROTHY VIOLA
MILLS HELFFRICH HUGHES,
DECEASED

BY: DOROTHY RUTH HELF-
FRICH BOUDOIN, Petitioner

NO. C23CH1-24-cv-214 CB

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having
been granted on the 18th day
of June, 2024, by the Chancery
Court of Hancock County, Mis-
sissippi, to the undersigned Ad-
ministratrix of the Estate of
DOROTHY VIOLA MILLS
HELFFRICH HUGHES, notice
is hereby given to all persons
having claims against said es-
tate to present the same to the
Clerk of this Court for probate
and registration according to
law, within ninety (90) days
from the first publication of this
notice, or they will be forever
barred.

THIS, the 18th day of June,
2024.

DOROTHY RUTH HELFFRICH
BOUDOIN, Administratrix

Prepared by:
Zach Butterworth, MS Bar No.
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Hesse & Butterworth, PLLC
Post Office Box 3567
Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
Tele: 228-255-7500
Attorney for Administratrix

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE OF EDWARD W. TILL-
MAN, SR., DECEASED

CAUSE NO: 23CH1:24-cv-
00257-JS

LISA TILLMAN, PETITIONER

EXECUTRIX NOTICE TO
CREDITORS

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Letters Testamentary having
been granted on the 17th day
of June, 2024, by the Chancery
Court of Hancock County, Mis-
sissippi, to the undersigned
upon the Estate of Edward W.
Tillman, Sr., deceased, notice
is hereby given to all persons
having claims against said es-
tate to present the same to the

Clerk of said Court for probate
and registration according to
law within ninety (90) days from
this date, or they will be forever
barred.

THIS 27th day of June, 2024.

s/LISA TILLMAN

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4, 2024, July 11, 2024

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MIS-
SISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-
TATE OF ELLEEN PLUNKETT
MASHBURN, DECEASED

BY: KEVIN BRADLEY MASH-
BURN, Petitioner
NO.C23CH1:24-cv-314CB

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having
been granted on the 18th day
of June, 2024, by the Chancery
Court of Hancock County, Mis-
sissippi, to the undersigned Ex-
ecutor of the Estate of ELLEEN
PLUNKETT MASHBURN, no-
tice is hereby given to all per-
sons having claims against said
estate to present the same to the
Clerk of this Court for probate
and registration according
to law, within ninety (90) days
from the first publication of this
notice, or they will be forever
barred.

THIS, the 18th day of June,
2024.

KEVIN BRADLEY MASH-
BURN, Executor

Prepared by:
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Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
Tele: 228-255-7500
Attorney for Executor

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SECTION 00010
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
INVITATION TO BID
FIRETOWER ROAD
DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS
Electronic or Sealed bids for
the construction of the FIRE-
TOWER ROAD DRAINAGE
IMPROVEMENTS will be re-
ceived by, and addressed to,
Attention: HANCOCK COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS at
854 Highway 90, Suite A, Bay
St. Louis, MS 39520, until
10:00 a.m., Monday, August 5,
2024. Bids will be publicly
opened and read at the Han-
cock
County Board of Supervisors
meeting that is held at the
Board Meeting Room at 854
Highway
90, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS
39520. Any bids received after
the time and date specified will
not be considered and will be
returned unopened.
The project includes culvert re-
placement, ditch grading and
clearing of vegetation, debris
and sediment from drainage chan-
nels.
OBTAINING THE BIDDING
DOCUMENTS
Information and Bidding Docu-
ments for the Project can be
found at the following designat-
ed
website:
www.hancockcountystormwa-
terbids.com
Plans and Specifications are
being made available via hard
copy or digital download. Plan
Holders are required to log-in or
register for an account to view
or order bid documents at
www.hancockcountystormwa-
terbids.com. Bid documents are
non-refundable and must be
purchased through the website.
Questions regarding website
registration and online orders
are
to contact the Plan House at
(228) 248-0181. No partial sets
of drawings or project manuals
will
be issued. No contract docu-
ments (hard copies or electron-
ic copies) will be issued to
Contractors within twenty-four
(24) hours of the time indicated
above for receiving bids.
Contract Documents may be
examined at:
(1) Office of the Design Engi-
neer, Chiniche Engineering &
Surveying, 407 Highway 90,
Bay St. Louis MS 39520 or
(2) Online at www.hancock-
countystormwaterbids.com
All questions pertaining to clar-
ification of the bidding docu-
ments shall be directed in writ-
ing to
Jason Chiniche, P.E. at ja-
son@chiniche.com .
Bids shall be deposited with the
Hancock County Board of Su-
pervisors, 854 Highway 90,
Suite
A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 or
for those interested, bids can
be submitted at
www.hancockcountystormwa-
terbids.com under the project
page, prior to the hour and date
designated above. No oral,
telegraphic, telephonic, or e-
mail proposals shall be consid-
ered.
Each Bid shall be submitted in
accordance with the Instruc-
tions to Bidders and shall be
accompanied by the Bid Securi-
ty (as defined in Section 00100

Instructions to Bidders) in the HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS 00010-2 amount of not less than five percent (5%) of the Bid. The Bid Bond may be from a surety acceptable to the Owner satisfying the requirements specified in the Contract Documents or Certified Check upon a national (legally recognized to conduct business in the State of Mississippi) or state bank, payable without recourse to the Hancock County Board of Supervisors as a guarantee that the Bidder will within fifteen (15) days after the Notice of Award enter into a Contract. The Successful Bidder must furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond equal to 100% of the Contract amount each with a surety company acceptable to the OWNER and in a form acceptable to the OWNER. Bids may be modified or withdrawn at any time prior to the time set for opening Bids. Bidders may not withdraw their Bids for a period of ninety (90) calendar days after the actual date of the opening of the Bids. Complete instructions for filing Bids are included in the Instructions to Bidders. A Pre-Bid Conference will be held at the HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Meeting Room at 854 Highway 90, Suite A, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 on Monday, July 29 2024, at 10:00 AM. The Owner reserves the right after opening Bids to reject any or all Bids, to waive any informality (non-responsive-ness) in a Bid, or to make award to the lowest and best qualified, responsive, and responsible Bidder and reject all other Bids, as it may best serve the interest of the OWNER. The subject contract and work is being funded at least in part by American Rescue Plan Act of 2021. To the extent that any portion of this Addendum conflicts with any term or condition of this Contract expressed outside of this Addendum, the terms of this Addendum shall govern. Contractor acknowledges and understands that Contractors compliance with the applicable federal, local and state laws and regulations applicable, including those within, is necessary for Hancock Countys use of the ARPA funds, and is a benefit and use for which Hancock County has expressly bargained, hence, mandating compliance by Contractor with all requirements thereto as more detailed in the Agreement and this Addendum. Accordingly, all rules, regulations, and requirements of contractors of subrecipient, Hancock County, apply to the terms of this contract, including as follows:

1. The provisions of 2 C.F.R. Sections 200, et seq., as amended applies to Contractor (sometimes herein Contractor)s contract and all services hereunder, including those provisions below as any procurement or solicitation provisions or requirements of 2 C.F.R. Section 200.318 - 200.326.

2. The following federal provisions apply pursuant to 2 C.F.R. Section 200.326 and 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Appendix II, as well as the entirety of Appendix II, including: (Equal Employment Opportunity (41 C.F.R. Part 60); Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3148); Copeland Anti-Kickback Act (40 U.S.C. 3145); Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 3701-3708); Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401-7671q), and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1251-1387); Debarment and Suspension (Executive Orders 12549 and 12689); Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. 1352); Procurement of Recovered Materials (2 C.F.R. § 200.322); and Record Retention Requirements (2 CFR § 200.324)).

HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS 00010-3

Proposals sent through the U.S. Mail are done so at the risk of the Prospective Vendor/Contractor. The County is NOT responsible for proposals that arrive in the mail after the designated opening time. If the agency is closed for any reason, including but not limited to: acts of God, strikes, lockouts, riots, acts of war, epidemics, governmental regulations superimposed after the fact, fire, earthquakes, floods, or other natural disasters (the Force Majeure Events), which closure prevents the opening of proposals at the advertised date and time, all proposals received shall be publicly opened and read aloud on the next business day that the agency shall be open and at the previously advertised time. The new date and time of the proposal opening, as determined in accordance with this paragraph, shall not be advertised, and all Vendors/Contractors, upon submission of a proposal, shall be deemed to have knowledge of and shall have agreed to the provisions of this paragraph. Proposals shall be received by the agency until the new date and time of the proposal opening as set forth herein. The agency shall not be held responsible for

the receipt of any proposals for which the delivery was attempted and failed due to the closure of the agency as a result of a Force Majeure Event. Each Vendor/Contractor shall be required to ensure the delivery and receipt of its proposal by the agency prior to the new date and time of the proposal opening. The Owner expressly reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of any or all proposals based on a lowest and best proposal determination. To be published in The Sea Coast Echo and the Mississippi Procurement Technical Assistance Program (MPTAP) online Agency Bid Bank (<https://agencybid-bank.mississippi.org>) on June 27, 2024 & July 4, 2024. Forward Proof of Publication and Bill to: Hancock County Board of Supervisors Valerie Fitts, Board Secretary/Deputy Chancery Clerk 854 Highway 90, Suite A Bay St. Louis, MS 3952#s, MS 39520

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI YOUTH COURT DIVISION

HANCOCK COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF CHILD PROTECTION SERVICES, BY ANDREA A. SANDERS, AND GABRIELLA EMIYAH-MARIE SALEM, LEGEND JOSEPH-CHRISTOPH SALEM AND NEVAEH LEGACEE-ELIZABET SALEM, MINORS, BY AND THROUGH THEIR NEXT FRIEND, ANDREA A. SANDERS PETITIONERS

VS. CIVIL ACTION NO. CC24-007-T MERI E. KELLY, JOSEPH M. SALEM AND UNKNOWN PUTATIVE FATHER RESPONDENTS COUNTY COURT SUMMONS THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Unknown Putative Father, who is not to be found in the State of Mississippi on diligent inquiry and whose last post office address is unknown after diligent search and inquiry by the Petitioners.

You have been made a Respondent in the suit filed in this Court by the Hancock County Department of Child Protection Services by Andrea A. Sanders, Commissioner of the Department of MDCPS, and Gabriella Emiyah-Marie Salem, Legend Joseph-Christoph Salem, and Nevaeh Legacee-Elizabet Salem, minors, seeking to terminate your parental rights as those rights relate to said minors and demanding that the full custody, control and authority to act on behalf of said minors be placed with the Hancock County Department of Child Protection Services.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR AND DEFEND AGAINST THE PETITION FILED AGAINST YOU IN THIS ACTION AT 9:00 a.m ON THE 19TH DAY OF JULY, 2024 IN THE COURTROOM OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY COURTHOUSE AT 152 MAIN STREET, BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI, AND IN CASE OF YOUR FAILURE TO APPEAR AND DEFEND, A JUDGMENT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE PETITION; INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 4 day of June, 2024.

KENDRA NECAISE, CLERK HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI BAY ST. LOUIS, MISSISSIPPI 39520

BY: V. LADNER D.C. Deputy Clerk Lanie Roussel, MSB#105488 Office of the Attorney General 1141 Bayview Ave., Suite 402 Biloxi, MS 39530 Email: Lanie.Roussel@ago.ms.gov

BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

GREAT RIVER UTILITY DOCKET NO. 2024-UN-026 OPERATING COMPANY, LLC WC-123-2514-00 IN RE: GREAT RIVER UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC 2024 FRP ANNUAL REPORT FOR WATER OPERATIONS IN ITS CERTIFICATED AREAS OF MISSISSIPPI

GREAT RIVER UTILITY DOCKET NO. 2024-UN-027 UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC SC-123-2515-00 IN RE: GREAT RIVER UTILITY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC 2024 FRP ANNUAL REPORT FOR WASTEWATER OPERATIONS IN ITS CERTIFICATED AREAS OF MISSISSIPPI

ORDER SETTING HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that that the above styled matters have been set for consolidated hearing on Tuesday, July 9, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. and Wednesday, July 10, 2024, at 10:00 a.m., in the Mississippi Public Service Commission Hearing Room, 1st Floor, Woolfolk State Office Building, 501

N. West Street, Jackson, Mississippi. Tuesday, July 9, 2024, will be reserved for public comments; should the public comment portion of the hearing require a full day, the evidentiary hearing will occur on Wednesday, July 10, 2024. At the discretion of the Hearing Examiner, if the public comment portion of the hearing is concluded on Tuesday, July 9, 2024, making it practical to conduct the evidentiary portion of the hearing on the same day, the evidentiary portion of the hearing will begin on Tuesday, July 9, 2024. WITNESS MY HAND AND THE OFFICIAL SEAL of the Mississippi Public Service Commission on this the 20th day of June 2024.

ROSS HAMMONS Hearing Examiner

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN ROBERT EMRY, DECEASED, CAUSE NO. 23CH1:24-cv-251-CB, SUMMONS TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF JOHN ROBERT EMRY, DECEASED, AND ANY AND ALL OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING ANY INTEREST TO THE ESTATE OF JOHN ROBERT EMRY, WHOSE NAMES, POST OFFICE BOXES AND ADDRESSES ARE UNKNOWN AFTER A DILIGENT SEARCH AND INQUIRY. You have been made a Defendant in a petition/suit filed in this Court by Jane Ann Aguda, Administrator, seeking to establish the heirs at law of JOHN ROBERT EMRY, Deceased. You are summoned to appear and defend against the petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on the 23rd day of July, 2024, in the Chancery Courtroom of Hancock County, 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the relief or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire. Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 3rd day of June, 2024. Hon. Tiffany Cowman, Chancery Clerk Hancock County, By: Cassie Tribble Eugene J. Hoffman, IV MS Bar #104994 311 E. Second Street Pass Christian, Mississippi 39571 228-323-3330 Tel. Dates of Publication: 1) 06/13/2024; 2) 06/20/2024; 3) 06/27/2024

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL C. HACKETT, SR., DECEASED

CAUSE NO. 23-520-CB

SUMMONS AND NOTICE OF HEARING

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO ALL UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF MICHAEL C. HACKETT, SR., Deceased, all of whose names, post office addresses, street addresses, and places of residence are unknown after diligent search and inquiry You have been made a Defendant named in the MOTION TO DETERMINE HEIRS, filed in this Court for determination of heirs of of MICHAEL C. HACKETT, SR., seeking to have MICHAEL C. HACKETT, JR., ANDREW HACKETT, and SCOTT HACKETT declared to be the heirs-at-law of MICHAEL C. HACKETT, SR., Deceased, who died on or about August 18, 2023, a resident of the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, and for other relief requested in the Motion. Defendants other than you in this action are any unknown heirs-at-law or next of kin of the Decedent NOTICE TO DEFENDANT OF HEARING You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action in the Harrison County Courthouse located at Gulfport, Mississippi, at 9:00 A.M., on the 13th day of August, 2024, before the Honorable Carter Bise, Chancellor, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading, but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT, this the ____ day of June, 2024.

TIFFANY COWMAN, CHANCERY CLERK HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI 152 MAIN STREET, STE. A BAY ST. LOUIS MS 39520 BY: D.C.

SECTION 00090 ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

NORTH BEACH BOULEVARD BOX CULVERT REPLACEMENT HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Electronic or sealed Bids for construction of North Beach Boulevard Box Culvert Replacement will be received by the Hancock County Board of Supervisors, located at 854 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, 39520, until 10:00 A.M. Local Time, August 5, 2024, then bids will be publicly opened and read. Any bids received after the time and date specified will

not be considered and will be returned.

All bids must be addressed to the HANCOCK COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS of Hancock County, Mississippi; marked SEALED BID TO OPENED AT 10:00 A.M., August 5, 2024, and specify the name of the bid project. If bid is submitted by mail, the address of the Hancock County Board of Supervisors is 854 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520. If bid is hand-delivered, the street address of the Hancock County Board of Supervisors is 854 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.

When bids are submitted electronically, the same requirements for submitting sealed bids shall apply. Electronic bids shall be submitted online at www.neel-schafferplans.com and shall include a document on the first page stating the same language required on the face of the sealed envelope.

Bidder must be qualified under Mississippi Law and show current Certificate of Responsibility issued by the Mississippi State Board of Public Contractors establishing its classification as to the value and type of construction on which it is authorized to bid. Contractors submitting a written sealed bid must write their current Mississippi Certificate of Responsibility Number on the outside of the sealed envelope containing their Bid as well as on their Bid. If the Bid is being submitted electronically through the Online Plan Room, the Mississippi Certificate of Responsibility Number must be included on the cover page and profile of the electronic bid submittal.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate, sealed and deposited with the Hancock County Board of Supervisors prior to the hour and date hereinbefore designated. No bidder may withdraw its bid within 60 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Each Bidder must deposit with his proposal, a Bid Bond in an amount equal to 5% (five) percent of its bid, payable to the Hancock County Board of Supervisors, as bid security. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Payment Bond and Performance Bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the contract amount.

Contract Drawings, Contract Specifications, Instructions to Bidders and Bidders Proposal forms are on file and open to public inspection in the office of the Hancock County Board of Supervisors, 854 Highway 90, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520. Bid documents are being made available via paper or digital copy. All interested bidders are required to log-in or register for an account at www.neel-schafferplans.com to view and order Bid Documents. All plan holders are required to have a valid email address for registration. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through this website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders should be directed to Plan House Printing at (228) 248-0181. Any questions that bidders might have should be directed to Neel-Schaffer, Inc., 3036 Longfellow Drive, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520 to the attention of Alex Davis or via email at alex.davis@neel-schaffer.com.

The Hancock County Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities or irregularities therein.

By:Scotty Adam Board President

DATES OF PUBLICATION: June 20, 2024 June 27, 2024

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS GENERAL NOTICE

Hancock County Water and Sewer District (Owner) is requesting Bids for the construction of the following Project:

Port Bienville Water Supply Well Rebid

Sealed bids for the construction of the Project will be received at the Hancock County Water and Sewer District Office, located at 7040 Stennis Airport Road, Kiln, MS 39556, until July 25, 2024, at 2:00 P.M. local time. At that time, all bids received will be publicly opened and the bid amount read aloud.

The work included in the Contract shall consist primarily of Construction of the following items:

Installation of a 1,500 gpm water supply well, waterline, and site improvements

OBTAINING THE BIDDING DOCUMENTS

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found at the following designated website:

www.hcwdsbids.com

Plans and Specifications are being made available via hard copy or digital download. Plan Holders are required to log-in or register for an account to view or order bid documents at www.hcwdsbids.com. Bid documents are non-refundable and must be purchased through the website. Questions regarding website registration and online orders are to contact the Plan House at (228) 248-0181. No partial sets of drawings or project manuals will be issued. No contract documents (hard

copies or electronic copies) will be issued to Contractors within twenty-four (24) hours of the time indicated above for receiving bids.

The Issuing Offices for the Bidding Documents is:

Hancock County Water & Sewer District 7040 Stennis Airport Rd Kiln, MS 39556

Chiniche Engineering & Surveying 407 Hwy 90 Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Offices on Monday-Thursday between 8:00-5:00 and Friday 8:00-12:00.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Bids must be submitted upon the standard forms contained within these contract documents furnished by Engineer, noted in the Information for Bidders. Each bid shall be accompanied by a Certified Check on a solvent bank or a Bidders Bond issued by a Surety Company licensed to operate in the State of Mississippi, in the amount of five percent (5%) of the total bid price, payable to the owner as bid security. Bidders shall also submit a current financial statement, if requested by the Owner. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount.

The required documents shall be submitted in a sealed envelope and the outside of the envelope shall be marked plainly as: Port Bienville Water Supply Well Rebid and the Certificate of Responsibility Number.

Bids shall be deposited with the Hancock County Water and Sewer District, 7040 Stennis Airport Rd, Kiln, MS 39556 or for those interested, bids can be submitted at www.hcwdsbids.com under the project page, prior to the hour and date designated above. No oral, telegraphic, telephonic, or e-mail proposals shall be considered. All interpretations of drawings and specifications shall be directed to Jason Chiniche at Chiniche Engineering and Surveying by email to: jason@chiniche.com. An acknowledged received copy of all Addenda issued by the Engineer via Plan House must be included with the bid proposal. No bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the date of actual bid opening without Owners consent. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all informalities.

Work to be performed shall be in accordance with all Federal, State and Local Regulations and Codes.

Approved by the order of the Hancock County Water and Sewer District Board of Directors, this June 13, 2024.

The Hancock County Water and Sewer District Hancock County, Mississippi

PUBLISH: 1stAdvertisement Date: June 20, 2024 2ndAdvertisement Date: June 27, 2024

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RONALD JOSEPH BONCK, DECEASED

CAUSE NO.: 23CH1:24-cv-00007-JP

JOSH MOTT, PETITIONER

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Ronald Joseph Bonck, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner

after diligent search and inquiry.

You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Josh Mott, Petitioner, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Ronald Joseph Bonck, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Ronald Joseph Bonck.

You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 oclock a.m. on the 15th day of August, 2024, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse, in Gulfport, Mississippi (1801 23rd Ave, Gulfport, MS 39501), and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition.

You are not required to file an answer or pleading but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this the 7th day of June, 2024.

Tiffany Cowman, Hancock County Chancery Clerk

s/Cassie Tribble, D.C.

Publication Dates: June 20, 2024, June 27, 2024 and July 4, 2024

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEES NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, effective as of September 17, 2020, Sydney & Company, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company (the "Borrower") executed that certain Mississippi Deed of Trust, Assignment of Leases and Rents, Fixture Filing, and Security Agreement (the "Deed of Trust") to Caroline E. Haas, as trustee (the "Original Trustee"), for the use and benefit of Patch of Land Lending, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Original Lender"), which instrument was recorded in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi (the Recording Office) on September 21, 2020, at Deed of Trust Book 2020, Page 24138; and, WHEREAS, as of November 19, 2020, Original Lender executed that certain Assignment of Mississippi Deed of Trust, Assignment of Leases and Rents, Fixture Filing, and Security Agreement (the "Assignment") thereby assigning all right, title, and interest in the Deed of Trust and related loan documents to Toorak Capital Partners, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "Beneficiary"), which instrument was recorded in the Recording Office on December 7, 2020, at Deed of Trust Book 2020, Page 32049; and, WHEREAS, effective as of April 17, 2024, pursuant to that certain Substitution of Trustee (the "Trustee Substitution"), Beneficiary substituted Alan Lee Smith (the "Substituted Trustee") as trustee of the Deed of Trust, in the place and stead of the Original Trustee and of any other substituted trustee, which Trustee Substitution was recorded in the Recording Office on April 22, 2024, at Deed of Trust Book 2024, Page 8133, and thereafter spread upon the land records maintained by the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust and the entire debt secured thereby (the "Indebtedness") having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust, Beneficiary has called upon the Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and make foreclosure thereof according to the terms of said Deed of Trust and applicable Mississippi law, for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, with the proceeds thereof to be applied in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Deed of Trust and related loan documents. NOW, THEREFORE, I, Alan Lee Smith, acting solely in my capacity as Substituted Trustee, by virtue of the authority conferred upon me pursuant to the Deed of Trust and applicable Mississippi law, do hereby give notice that I will, between the legal hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Thursday July 18, 2024, offer for sale at public outcry at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse, 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi (the "Premises"), to-wit: REAL PROPERTY Beginning at an iron bolt for the Northwest corner of the intersection of Dunbar Avenue and Felicity Street; thence North 69° 50 West 261.30 feet, more or less, along the North margin of Felicity Street to an iron bolt set at the Southeast corner of property conveyed by Caroline Kiefer to Clyde Ladner, et ux, on January 31, 1964 by deed recorded in Book Q-2, page 271, Hancock County Deed Records, and which property was subsequently conveyed by Clyde Ladner, et ux to MaMac, Inc. by deed dated June 10, 1965 and recorded in Book R-7, page 157, said Deed Records; thence running North along the East line of MaMac property 191.15 feet, more or less, along a line parallel to the West Corporate line of the City of Bay St. Louis to an iron bolt set on a line for the common boundary between Lots 147 and 148; thence South 70° East 191.98 feet along the aforesaid line for the common boundary between Lots 147 and 148 to an iron bolt set on the West margin of Dunbar Avenue; thence along the arc of the West margin of Dunbar Avenue, which arc has a chord running South 16° 46 East a distance of 225.12 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of Lots 148, 154, 155, First Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi as per the official plat of said City made by E. S. Drake, C.E., and filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; together with all singular the rights, privileges, improvements and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining. Substituted Trustee will on the same date and at the same time and place, proceed to sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, pursuant to the provisions of Sections 9-604 and 9-610 of the Uniform Commercial Code (Sections 75-9-604 and 75-9-610 of the Mississippi Code), all of Borrower's right, title and interest in the following described personal property that may be located upon the Premises and/or may exist in association with Borrower's use and enjoyment of the Premises, the Borrower having granted Beneficiary a security interest in said personal property pursuant to the Deed of Trust and/or other security instruments: PERSONAL PROPERTY All of Borrowers right, title and

interest in and to any and all buildings, structures, improvements, fixtures, and appurtenances placed on the Premises, including, without limitation, all apparatus and equipment, whether or not physically affixed to the land or any building, which is used to provide or supply air cooling, air conditioning, heat, gas, water, light, power, refrigeration, ventilation, laundry, drying, dish washing, garbage disposal, or other services; and all elevators, escalators, and related machinery and equipment, fire prevention and extinguishing apparatus, security and access control apparatus, partitions, ducts, compressors, plumbing, ovens, refrigerators, dishwashers, disposals, washers, dryers, awnings, storm windows, storm doors, screens, blinds, shades, curtains, curtain rods, mirrors, cabinets, paneling, rugs, attached floor coverings, furniture, pictures, antennas, pools, spas, pool and spa operation and maintenance equipment and apparatus, and trees and plants located on the Premises, including replacements and additions (collectively, the "Improvements"); and, All of the right, title and interest of Borrower in and to all tangible and intangible personal property, including, but not limited to, all water rights of whatever kind or character, surface or underground, appropriative, decreed, or vested, that are appurtenant to the Premises or otherwise used or useful in connection with the Premises (to the extent they may constitute personal property), all equipment, inventory, goods, consumer goods, accounts, chattel paper, instruments, money, general intangibles, letter-of-credit rights, deposit accounts, investment property, documents, minerals, crops and timber (as those terms are defined in the Uniform Commercial Code) that are located on, attached to, installed, placed, used on, in connection with, or are required for such attachment, installation, placement, or use on the Premises, the Improvements, fixtures, or on other goods located on the Premises or Improvements, together with all additions, accessions, accessories, amendments, modifications to the Premises or Improvements, extensions, renewals, and enlargements and proceeds of the Premises or Improvements, substitutions for, and income and profits from, the Premises or the Improvements, including but not limited to, all goods, machinery, tools, equipment (including fire sprinklers and alarm systems); vehicle maintenance and repair equipment; office furniture (including tables, chairs, planters, desks, sofas, shelves, lockers, and cabinets); safes, furnishings, appliances (including ice-making machines, refrigerators, fans, water heaters, and incinerators); rugs carpets, other floor coverings, draperies, drapery rods and brackets, awnings, window shades, venetian blinds, curtains, other window coverings; lamps, chandeliers, other lighting fixtures; office maintenance and other supplies; loan commitments, financing arrangements, bonds, construction contracts, leases, tenants security deposits, licenses, permits, sales contracts, option contracts, lease contracts, insurance policies, proceeds from policies, plans, specifications, surveys, books, records, funds, bank deposits; and all other intangible personal property; and any other portion or items of the Premises that constitutes personal property under the Uniform Commercial Code; and, All right, title, and interest of Borrower in and to all materials, supplies, equipment, apparatus, and other items attached to, installed on or in the Premises or the Improvements, or that in some fashion are deemed to be fixtures to the Premises or Improvements under the laws of the state of Mississippi; and, Any and all leases, subleases, licenses, concessions, or other agreements (written or verbal) that grant a possessory interest in and to, or the right to extract, mine, reside in, sell, or use the Premises, and all other agreements, including but not limited to utility contracts, maintenance agreements, and service contracts that in any way relate to the use, occupancy, operation, maintenance, enjoyment, or ownership of the Premises; and, All rents, issues, revenues, income, proceeds, royalties, profits, license fees, prepaid municipal and utility fees, bonds, and other benefits to which Borrower may be entitled from or which are derived from the Premises; and, All right, title, and interest (including any claim or demand or demand in law or equity) that Borrower has in or to such Premises; all easements, rights, privileges, tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances belonging or in any way appertaining to the Premises; all of the estate, right, title, interest, claim, demand, reversion, or remainder of Borrower in or to the Premises, either at law or in equity, in possession or expectancy; all development rights or credits and air rights; all water and water rights (whether or not appurtenant to the Premises) and shares of stock pertaining to such water or water rights, ownership of which affects the Premises; all minerals, oil, gas, and other hydrocarbon substances and rights thereto in, on, under, or upon the Premises and all royalties and profits from any such rights or shares of stock; all right, title, and interest of Borrower in and to any streets, ways, alleys, strips, or gores of land adjoining the Premises or any part of it that Borrower owns all adjacent lands within

enclosures or occupied by buildings partly situated on the Premises; and, All intangible property and rights relating to the Premises or its operation or used in connection with it, including, without limitation, permits, licenses, plans, specifications, construction contracts, subcontracts, bids, deposits for utility services, installations, refunds due Borrower, trade names, trademarks, and service marks; and, All of the right, title, and interest of Borrower in and to the land lying in the bed of any street, road, highway, or avenue in front of or adjoining the Premises; and, Any and all awards previously made or later to be made by any governmental authority to the Borrower that may be made with respect to the Premises as a result of the exercise of the right of eminent domain, the alteration of the grade of any street, or any other injury to or decrease of value of the Premises; and, All deposits of Borrower with any governmental authority and/or public utility company that relate to the ownership of the Premises; and, All leases of the Premises or any part of it and all right, title, and interest of Borrower under such leases, including cash or securities deposited by the tenants to secure performance of their obligations under such leases (whether such cash or securities are to be held until the expiration of the terms of such leases or applied to one or more of the installments of rent coming due immediately before the expiration of such terms), all rights to all insurance proceeds and unearned insurance premiums arising from or relating to the Premises, all other rights and easements of Borrower existing pertaining to the use and enjoyment of the Premises, and all right, title, and interest of Borrower in and to all declarations of covenants, conditions, and restrictions as may affect or otherwise relate to the Premises; and, All plans and specifications for the Improvements; all contracts and subcontracts relating to the Improvements; all deposits (including tenants security deposits), funds, accounts, contract rights, instruments, documents, general intangibles, and notes or chattel paper arising from or in connection with the Premises; all permits, licenses, certificates, and other rights and privileges obtained in connection with the Premises; all soils reports, engineering reports, land planning maps, drawings, construction contracts, notes, drafts, documents, engineering and architectural drawings, letters of credit, bonds, surety bonds, any other intangible rights relating to the Premises and Improvements, surveys, and other reports, exhibits, or plans used or to be used in connection with the construction, planning, operation, or maintenance of the Premises and Improvements and all amendments and modifications; all proceeds arising from or by virtue of the sale, lease, grant of option, or other disposition of all or any part of the Premises; and all proceeds (including premium refunds) payable or to be payable under each insurance policy relating to the Premises; and, All trade names, trademarks, symbols, service marks, and goodwill associated with the Premises and any and all state and federal applications and registrations used in connection with the use or operation of the Premises; and, All tax refunds, bills, notes, inventories, accounts and charges receivable, credits, claims, securities, and documents of all kinds, and all instruments, contract rights, general intangibles, bonds and deposits, and all proceeds and products of the Premises; and, All accounts, contract rights, chattel paper, documents, instruments, books, records, claims against third parties, money, securities, drafts, notes, proceeds, and other items relating to the Premises; and, All construction, supply, engineering, and architectural contracts executed by Borrower for the construction of the Improvements; and All proceeds of any of the foregoing. The foregoing real and personal property (collectively, the "Property") shall be sold together on an "As Is, Where Is" basis without warranty or recourse, express or implied, as to title, possession, use and/or enjoyment, and subject to the following:

1. Any unpaid taxes against the Property;
2. Any recorded easements, conditions, covenants, rights-of-way or subdivision plats affecting the Property;
3. Any dedication of roads affecting the Property and any governmental zoning and subdivision ordinances or regulations in effect; and,
4. Any prior or superior liens, judgments, deeds of trust, or other interests of record and/or existing as a matter of law regarding the Property.

I shall convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this the 24th day of June, 2024.

/s/ Alan Lee Smith
ALAN LEE SMITH, acting solely in my capacity as Substituted Trustee

Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz, P.C.
Attn: Alan Lee Smith, Esq.
P.O. Box 14167
Jackson, Mississippi 39236
(601) 351-8932

Real Property Physical Ad-

dress:

800 Dunbar Avenue
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi
39520

Publication Dates:
June 27, 2024; July 4, 2024;
July 11, 2024; and July 18, 2024

We, the officers of Triple Barrel Enterprises, Inc.

Intend to make application for a transfer of a Retailer Package Liquor permit.

As provided for by the Local Option Alcoholic Beverage Control Laws, Section 67-1-1, et seq., of the Mississippi Code of 1972, Annotated. If granted a transfer from VinDan, Inc. doing business as Waveland Discount Wine and Liquor who is operating at 457 US 90, Waveland, Ms. 39576, We propose to operate

Under the trade name of Waveland Discount Wine and Liquor Located at 457 US 90, Waveland, Ms. 39576.

The name(s), title(s), and address(es) of the owner(s)/partners/corporate officer(s) and/or majority stockholder(s)/member(s)/trustee of the above named business are:

Brooks Quinlan, Director
129 Hillcrest Rd, Pass Christian Ms. 39571

Kelly Hebert, Director
8687 N Lamhatty lane, Daphne, Al. 36526

If any person wishes to request a hearing to object to the issuance of this permit a request for a hearing must be made in writing and recieved by the Department of Revenue within (15) fifteen days from the first date this notice was published.

Requests shall be sent to:

Chief Counsel, Legal Division
Department of Revenue
P.O. Box 22828
Jackson, MS 39225

Date of First Publication:
June 20,2024

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

IN RE: ESTATE OF VIRGIE L. LEWIS, DECEASED CAUSE NO. 23CH1:23-cv-0073-JS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INSOLVENT ESTATE

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 22nd day of February, 2023, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executor of the estate of Virgie L. Lewis, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate that there are insufficient assets with which to satisfy all claims in full and that the estate is insolvent. Therefore, pursuant to Miss. Code § 91-7-269, all creditors who possess claims against the estate including those who possess claims that are not required by law to be probated, must probate and register their claims with the clerk of the court on or before July 23, 2024, or they will be forever barred. It shall not be necessary for any creditor to re-file with the clerk any claim which has been duly probated and registered within the time and in the manner required by law. All other claims, unless filed with the clerk by the day named in this notice, shall not be allowed. On July 24, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. in Chancery Courtroom 3 at the Harrison County First Judicial District Courthouse, 1801 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, Mississippi 39501, the Court shall examine the claims and will order valid claims to be paid pro rata. All creditors may attend.

This the 6th day of June, 2024.

MICHAEL D. HAAS, JR., EXECUTOR

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Publish dates: 6/13/2024; 6/20/2024; 6/27/2024



136 Automobile

NOTICE

OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicles listed below will be sold starting July 13, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. at the location below:

TOW BIZ LLC

10016 Hwy. 603

Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

(228)-493-4210

BLACK

2008 GMC ACADIA

VIN# 1GKER23778J121148

GRAY

2015 INFINITI Q50

VIN# JN1BV7AR8FM418701

06/20, 06/27, 07/04/2024

SNHU Announces Winter 2024 President’s List

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

It is with great pleasure that Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) congratulates the following students on being named to the Winter 2024 President’s List. The winter terms run from January to May.

Full-time under-

graduate students who have earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.700 and above for the reporting term are named to the President’s List. Full-time status is achieved by earning 12 credits over each 16-week term or paired 8-week terms grouped in fall, winter/spring, and

summer.

Kyle Craig of Bay St. Louis (39520)

Marilyn Rushing of Diamondhead (39525)

Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) is a private, nonprofit institution with an 91-year history of educating traditional-aged students and working adults.

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the female advised them that she and Cadwallader were involved in a physical altercation, advising that Cadwallader “placed his hands around her neck and choked her out.” When she woke, she told officers that Cadwallader was inside of the store. She further stated to officers that Cadwallader then returned to the vehicle and advised her to drive, got angry and then choked her

a second time, the release states.

“Officers observed marks around her neck and her ear bleeding from a missing earring/plug,” the release states. “They female also had petechia marks around her neck and chest area and also under her eyes. The female was transported to Ochsner Medical Center.

Officers placed Cadwallader into custody and he was charged with shoplifting and aggravated domestic violence and transported to the Hancock County Justice Facility.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AD VALOREM TAX EFFORT BAY ST. LOUIS-WAVELAND SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District will hold a public hearing on its proposed school district budget for fiscal year 2025 on July 24, 2024 at 5:30pm at the Superintendent Office, 200 North Second Street, Bay St. Louis, MS. At this meeting, a proposed ad valorem tax effort will be considered.

The Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District is now operating with projected total budget revenue of \$22,067,927.00. Of that amount, 47.95 percent or \$10,580,571.00 of such revenue is obtained through ad valorem taxes. For next fiscal year, the proposed budget has total projected revenue of \$23,511,558.00. Of that amount, 50.67 percent or \$11,914,303.00 is proposed to be financed through a total ad valorem tax levy.

For the next fiscal year, the proposed increase in ad valorem tax effort by Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District may result in an increase in the ad valorem tax millage rate. Ad valorem taxes are paid on homes, automobile tags, business fixtures and equipment, and rental real property.

Any citizen of Bay St. Louis-Waveland School District is invited to attend this public hearing on the proposed ad valorem tax effort, and will be allowed to speak for a reasonable amount of time and offer tangible evidence before any vote is taken.



JUNE 28

- St. Rose de Lima Blues and BBQ Multicultural festival. Music, food, fun and fun. The festival kicks off at 6 p.m. on June 28 at the Bay St. Louis Train Depot with Erubal Sandoval and his own Mariachi sound. The festival opens on Saturday, June 29 at 11 a.m. with the St. Rose choirs, men's ensemble followed by the gospel choir. The BBQ and Blues Fest will continue all day, including BBQ ribs, chicken, pulled pork, baked beans, coleslaw, fried MS catfish, shrimp, chicken wings and fries, and hamburgers and hot dogs, and a variety of treats from the Sweets Parlor. The entertainment continues with Assumed Risk at 2 p.m.; the BSL Trio at 4:30 p.m.; and Starz Band from 7 to 9 p.m. Activities for kids include Griffin Ranch Llama and Alpacas at 11 a.m., a photo booth, and other games. The big raffle will be a 50/50 and tickets are on sale now.
- American Legion Unit 77, every Friday from 5 to 7 p.m., is selling \$12 plates. Menu changes. Weekly dine in or take out. Located at 503 Waveland Ave. For more information, call 228-467-9637.

JUNE 29

- St. Stanislaus is hosting a basketball shooting camp for boys and girls aged 12 to 18. The camp will take place on Saturday, June 29 from 9 a.m. to noon. The specialized camp offers targeted instruction, cutting-edge techniques, and personalized feedback to refine shooting skills to perfection. The camps will be led by varsity basketball coach Daniel Grieves and staff. To register or find out more information, visit ststan.com/athletics/rock-camp/

JULY 1

- Chess for kids/teens: Learn and play from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Clarence Harris Community Center at MLK Park on Herlihy Street in Waveland.

JULY 5

- American Legion Unit 77, every Friday from 5 to 7 p.m., is selling \$12 plates. Menu changes. Weekly dine in or take out. Located at 503 Waveland Ave. For more information, call 228-467-9637.

JULY 6

- American Legion Post 77 is hosting a flag retirement ceremony at 7:30 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial on the beach and Coleman Avenue. For more information, contact Charles Armstrong at 228-671-0703.
- The Arts, Hancock County presents Sail Away Painting with Samantha Hallenus from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Looking for a fun, easy way to create art in and out of the Bay. Sail Away Painting is it. You'll get to paint with acrylics on a 9 x 12 inch canvas to produce work inspired by sailboats. It's a day of painting that offers a sense of accomplishment. Get the details and register today

at www.hancockarts.org. Materials provided by the instructor include: Water cups, paper towels, brushes, paint, canvases, rulers, pencils, and some easels. Materials each student should bring: Apron or old T-shirt to cover their garments.

JULY 8

- Chess for kids/teens: Learn and play from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Clarence Harris Community Center at MLK Park on Herlihy Street in Waveland.

JULY 12

- American Legion Unit 77, every Friday from 5 to 7 p.m., is selling \$12 plates. Menu changes. Weekly dine in or take out. Located at 503 Waveland Ave. For more information, call 228-467-9637.

JULY 13

- Hancock Arts presents The Painted Canvas — "River Symphony" with Carisa Mitchell from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Member fee is \$93, not-yet member fee is \$103, materials fee is \$40. Get started with the basics of oil painting from materials to application, to color concepts. Through lecture, demonstration and example, Carisa will walk participants through the steps and thinking involved in working with oils. Upon completing the class, participants should feel confident in applying new and intermediate skills in oil painting to the canvas. For more information visit, www.hancockarts.org.

JULY 14

- Second Sunday Summer Blues Brunch at 100 Men Hall featuring Little Freddie King from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tickets are \$20 in advance and go up at the door if not sold out. This show is an Alligator Mike Promotion. Food for purchase from Big Bertha's Kitchen and Catering, along with a cash/credit bar. One of the last bluesmen of his generation in a city famed for its jazz, King has become a local emblem over the years. His shows can feel like a transport back in time. He plays an often chaotic, dirty form of country blues, "gutbucket," as he defines it. One cable, straight from guitar to amp, no effects or overdrive. Its fluid tempo and timing, harmonic riffs, and stories that tell the tales of growing up poor in the Magnolia State and then life in New Orleans. Learn more at ww.100menhall.com.

JULY 15

- ArtVentures 2024 is The Arts, Hancock County summer arts camp. This year kids will enjoy hands-on fun with new projects in a variety of arts. Watercolor, 3D drawing, mixed media, theater, printmaking, collage, and 3D sculptures are just some of the areas campers will get to explore this summer. There are camps for ages 6-8 and 9-12. There is limited space in each camp and age ranges

will be strictly observed. This allows us to design a curriculum best suited to specific ages and give each camper the time and attention they deserve. Camp tuition is \$220 per camper, all supplies included. Dates are July 15-18. Ages 6-8 meet 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Ages 9-12 meet 1 to 4:15 p.m. For more information, visit www.hancockarts.org or call 228-342-4521.

- St. Stanislaus will be hosting a football camp for boys and girls aged 8 to 14. The camp will focus on teaching basic offensive and defensive skills. It will be held from Monday, July 15 to Thursday, July 18 from 9 a.m. to noon. The camp will be conducted by varsity football coach, Tate Thigpen, and his staff. For more information and to register, visit www.ststan.com/football-camp-july-2024/
- Chess for kids/teens: Learn and play from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Clarence Harris Community Center at MLK Park on Herlihy Street in Waveland.

JULY 18

- Gospel music and BBQ fundraiser for Magdalene House — Christian Women's Job Corp. Music, BBQ dinner, and silent auction to be held on Thursday, July 18 from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Bay St. Louis Community Hall, located at 301 Blaize Ave., Bay St. Louis. Tickets: \$25 for adults, \$15 for children (ages 2-12).

For ticket purchases, call 228-493-0504 or 228-324-6687. For more information about this 501c3 ministry, visit www.womenscommunitysupport.org.

JULY 19

- American Legion Unit 77, every Friday from 5 to 7 p.m., is selling \$12 plates. Menu changes. Weekly dine in or take out. Located at 503 Waveland Ave. For more information, call 228-467-9637.

JULY 22

- The Arts Hancock County is hosting teen intensive ArtVentures for ages 13-16. Teens will have the opportunity to dive into a more focused exploration of art. They will be guided by professional artists and teachers in four different mediums: Watercolor, mixed media, book making, and 3D sculpture. Camp tuition is \$220 per camper, all supplies included. Dates July 22-25 from 10 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. For more information, visit www.hancockarts.org or call 228-342-4521.
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OCTOBER 5

- Watercolor exploration workshop with Kathy Bensabat on Oct. 5 from

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Oct. 6 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Watercolor for ages 15 and up. View details and register today at <https://www.hancockarts.org>. This two-day workshop with artist Kathy Bensabat promises to be a transformative experience. Kathy uses her vast experience and infectious passion for watercolor to guide participants, no matter their love, through the fundamental techniques while encouraging them to tap into their unique artistic voice. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced watercolorist, this promises to be a lovely experience. You'll learn and review the basics of watercolor painting while immersing in the beauty of the medium. Students will learn the fundamentals of watercolors; the basics of watercolor painting and beyond; and the beauty of the medium.

NOVEMBER 9

- The Krewe of Nereids Mermaids Arts and Crafts show will be held at the Bay St. Louis Train Depot on Nov. 9 and 10 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. Art, handmade crafts, pottery, jewelry and more. Over 90 booths. Kids Zone-face painting, shell painting, games, music, food, fun and more. For more information, visit www.kreweofnereids.com/craftshow or email macs@thekreweofnereids.com.

FEBRUARY 8

- The 57th annual Krewe of Nereids Mardi Gras Tableau Ball (strictly formal) will be held at 8 p.m. at the Mississippi Coast Coliseum, 2350

Beach Blvd., Biloxi. Free, but tickets are required for entry. You're invited to join in the fun with the presentation of the 2025 royal court and beautiful tableau, and then afterwards, enjoy a wonderful dinner and dance. Formal attire required: Evening floor length gown and tuxedo required. No charge for viewing the ball tableau. For an invitation to the ball, contact info@thekreweofnereids.com. After party dance tickets are \$100 each. For after party tickets, email supperdance@thekreweofnereids.com.

FEBRUARY 23

- The Krewe of Nereids 57th annual parade will begin at noon. The parade is a family affair that draws huge crowds along its route to enjoy the fanciful floats, colorfully costumed royalty, and float riders, along with marching bands, dance, and walking groups and truck floats, with over 100 units. The signature throw is a hand decorated seashell.

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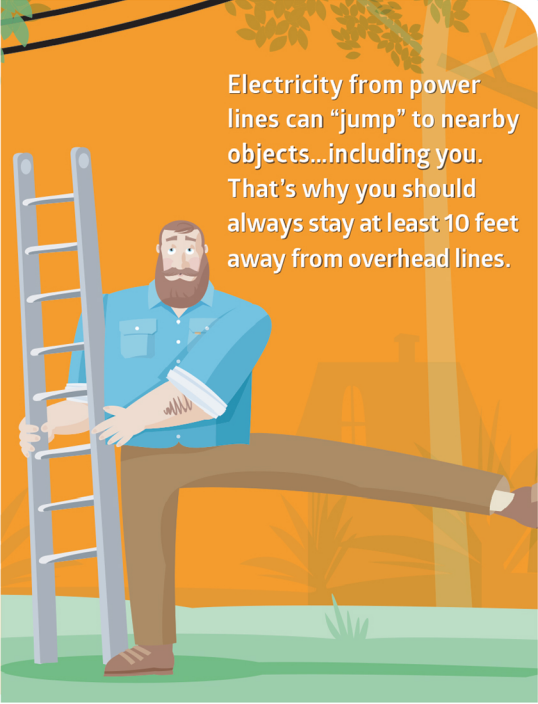
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THE KREWE OF DIAMONDHEAD CHEER ON THE KING CAKES



Photo submitted
From left, Hoppy Smith, Ron Rhoades, John Kirschenbaum, Jeff Hardesty, Jonathan Stockstill and Don Crosby



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Members gather to enter the Biloxi King Cakes game from left, Stephanie Hardesty, Ron Rhoades, Tom Garriga, John Kirschenbaum, Tracey Garriga, Shade Newman, Gina Newman, Jeff Hardesty, Renee Kirschenbaum, Dinah Rhoades, Jonathan Stockstill, Jamie Stockstill.

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

Once again the Biloxi Baseball team reached out to the Krewe to participate in the yearly Mardi Gras celebration. Members from the Krewe met up for a fun evening out.

Members attending enjoyed had a great time cheering on the Biloxi King Cakes, who couldn't pull out the win against The Montgomery Biscuits. Members dressed in Krewe attire thoroughly enjoyed the evenings events, which included beads, a very

pleasant evening and recognition of the Krewe of Diamondhead on the big screen in between innings.

Prior to the game several of the members met up at Fly Llama Brewery and enjoyed the street music festival. More fun events are in the planning

for the krewe, especially since this coming year we will be celebrating 50 years!

Attending the game were President Jeff Hardesty, Stephanie Hardesty, Publicity Director Renee Kirschenbaum, John Kirschenbaum, Membership Director Gina New-

man, Shade Newman, Ron and Dinah Rhoades, Hoppy and Suzy Smith, Jonathan and Jamie Stockstill, Ken and Janie Dropco, Don and Jodi Crosby, Georganne Elemond, Tom and Tracey Garriga .

Do you want to join a fun filled Mardi Gras Krewe, then contact our Membership Director, Gina Newman at regina.newman09@outlook.com.

The Krewe is formed as a civic body for social purposes and Mardi Gras entertainment.

100 Men Hall Mission Enhanced by MS Grant and Local Partnership Dollars

SPECIAL TO THE ECHO

The ability to broaden the mission of Bay Saint Louis' historic, African-American music landmark, the 100 Men Hall, has been boosted by the award of two grants and funding made possible by 40% in matching dollars from MS Coast National Heritage Area

and Coast Electric Round Up grants and additional funds from the Silver Slipper Casino. The state grant dollars originate from the Mississippi Arts Commission Building Fund for the Arts.

100 Men Hall Director Rachel Dangermond has announced that the culturally-rich venue will direct the combined total of \$65,670 to refurbish a 1956 Silver Streak Clipper and create a mobile recording and podcast studio, Studio DBA.

The vintage travel trailer was donated to the Hall by Erin Walters-Bugbee and will house state-of-the art recording and lighting equipment that will document the real lives, talents and struggles of Mississippi musicians, artists and legendary performers.

"The realities of living on the Mississippi Gulf Coast require a flexible interpretation, one that helps preserve history in the event of catastrophe (in particular, weather related)," explains Dangermond. "While Studio DBA will remain "docked" to its platform at the 100 Men Hall during most of the year, the accessible mobile unit will maximize its role as a literal vehicle for culture during frequent story-gathering pilgrimages through other locations in Mississippi and along the Chitlin Circuit. Stu-

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THE SEA COAST ECHO

BIG DAY

FOR DAVE

BY SONNY SCHINDLER
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

I personally think the main reason a lot of people do not catch fish, is that they tend to overwork or overthink the act of fishing. Take for ex-

fishy water that was just at 4 feet deep. When I casted out young Dave’s live Croker under a boat monkey popping cork he immediately stated, “I didn’t bring my glasses, and I can’t see the cork”!

of the boat.

This scene played out for several more hours. Mom Amy, older brother Sam, and Dad Paul all had good action, but Dave out fished every-one considerably. Fur-

Dave, not being able to see his cork, is what likely helped him catch more fish. He was not working his live bait too hard, making it look like it’s supposed to, like a LIVE BAIT. Another

their composure, stayed calm, and just enjoyed the fantastic bite.

Too often I think human error is the main reason we as anglers don’t catch more fish. When the fish are being a little picky,

more.

At the end of our day, all of the Bernadas crew was smiling and exhausted. Young Dave was definitely smiling the most, and visibly the most tired. Over the last



PHOTO COURTESY OF SONNY SCHINDLER
(From left to Right) **Paul, Amy, Sam and Dave Bernadas with a fantastic catch of speckled trout.** • **Big brother Sam with younger brother Dave Bernadas** • **Amy Bernadas with another big speckled trout** • **Dave Bernadas with one of his many speckled trout.**

ample a very recent trip I had with some of my favorite people, the Bernadas family.

We were greeted with a calm ride across the Mississippi sound. We were able to set up in some

We all kind of chuckled, and seconds later his father Paul calmly announced, “Dave, your cork is under start reeling”. A minute or so later a big fat speckled trout was flopping on the deck

thermore, when everyone started to mimic Dave’s technique, of just letting their bait sit, production skyrocketed, as way more fish came into the boat.

I can easily say that

huge factor that I think played into their success is how cool and collected the Bernadas crew is. There were no monster hook sets, unnecessary yelling, or over fighting of fish. Everyone kept

we work our lures or live bait too much, making them unattractive to the fish. There are just some days where you have to cast your line out, let it sit, and let the fish come to you. Less becomes

several years of fishing together, this was probably one of our biggest hauls. It was definitely a big day for Dave. Well Done young man! Well Done!

SHUCKERS BLANK TRASH PANDAS 5-0

BY JOSEPH W. GEX II
STAFF WRITER

The Biloxi Shuckers ended the first half of the season on a high note with a series win over the Rocket City Trash Pandas including a 5-0 victory on Saturday, June 18.

The Shuckers (30-37) got a boost on the mound from Logan Henderson who threw 5.1 innings of shutout baseball to handicap the Trash Pandas.

The Shuckers struck first in the second inning when Xavier Warren singled to drive in Eric Brown Jr. for a 1-0 lead.

In the third inning, the Shuckers plated three runs to take a commanding 4-0 lead. Two of the runs came on back-to-back RBI doubles by Brock Wilken and Darrien Miller. Later in the inning, Ernesto Martinez Jr. smacked an RBI single.

In the sixth inning, Dylan O’Rea had an RBI double to close out the scoring.

In the game, Henderson finished with six strikeouts and one walk as he lowered his ERA to 1.13. At the plate, Miller, Warren, and Adam Hall all had a multi-hit game.

The Shuckers will now play nine games in nine days highlighted by a fireworks extravaganza on Wednesday, July 3. The Shuckers are hosting the Pensacola Blue Wahoos this week with first pitch at 6:35 p.m. today, Friday, and Saturday. First pitch on Sunday is set for 5:05 p.m.

The Shuckers will play their lone Monday game of the season on July 1 against the Mississippi Braves at 6:35 p.m. followed by games on Tuesday and Wednesday.



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